Weather Forecasts

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POLICY WILL BE ADEQUATE ONE

Premier McBride Moves an Amendment to Naval Resolution Which is Accepted by Mr. H. C. Brewster

EXPLAINS ATTITUDE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Is Certain that Conjoint Decision of Federal Government and Admiralty Will be Acceptable to All

The outstanding feature of yesterday's proceedings in parliament was the short but interesting address by Premier McBride upon the text of Mr. Brewster's naval resolution, in the course of which the First Minister elaborated his reasons for non-concurrence with certain portions of the motion of the Liberal leader, emphasized the necessity for early and adequate action for the protection of the British Pacific seaboard, and in conclusion offered an amendment which was seconded by the President of the Council, suggesting alternately that Mr. Brewster might possibly accept the amendment as his main motion. This was eventually agreed to by the member for Alberni upon condition that the resolution stand in his name, with the Premier as a seconder—a compact acceptable to all. The matter now stands in abeyance until Mr. Brewster again presents his motion, in its amended form. Mr. Williams, whose name had originally appeared on the order paper as seconder of Mr. Brewster's notion, was subjected to considerable quiet badinage from the Premier, based upon his apparent change of front in regard to matters naval and military, and hastened to explain that he remains unconverted, his seconding being merely a courtesy to his neighbor from Alberni, necessitated by the House rules, which insist upon all motions being seconded—although, the member from Newcastle quietly suggested, under present conditions the House might be generous enough to waive the regulation. Mr. Hawthornthwaite was present in the lobbies during the afternoon, but has not yet taken his seat in the House.

Socialists and Navy

Premier McBride, continuing the debate upon Mr. Brewster's naval defence resolution—adjourned upon the Prime Minister's initiative several days ago—prefatorily congratulated the member for Alberni, and also particularly his colleague from Newcastle, on the interest displayed by them, even thus early in the session, on so worthy a subject as the naval defence of the British Pacific seaboard. In this instance the member for Newcastle had, somewhat contrary to his common practice, displayed a zeal for the well-being and safety of his country unquestionably most refreshing to the members of the legislature, as it doubtless would be also to his constituents. —members of the House had been accustomed to quite another attitude adopted by the member for Newcastle, especially when in the preparation of the estimates insignificant appropriations were prepared, running usually into not more than a few hundred dollars, toward the support of the various rifle associations of the service. On such occasions, as a rule, the most bitter opposition was offered by the honorable member. The House had, however, never given up hope that he might live to see the error of his ways and to recognize the duty of the House in so far as it might consistently go in that direction, to encourage and promote along proper channels the fitting of the people of British Columbia for usefulness, if necessary, in their country's defence. In the present case, while the member for Alberni had not seen fit, nor had the member for Newcastle, to make any suggestions with respect to national defence, in so far as the land forces were concerned, still all were pleased to find them both in this session of 1912 so greatly concerned as to what is being done at Ottawa with a view to the provision of ade-

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SPEAKS IN FRENCH

Hon. Martin Burrell Surprises Stock Breeders' Meeting at Montreal—Promises Co-Operation

MONTREAL, Jan. 30.—Hon. Martin Burrell, mininster of agriculture, surprised and delighted the members of the general stock breeders' association of Quebec by addressing them in French, the language of a great majority of them, at their annual convention today. The minister expressed his appreciation of the good work done by the organization, and said that he would work hand in hand with the provincial minister of agriculture, Hon. E. J. Caron, to forward the work of the association.

Mr. Caron, who was also present, reciprocated the sentiments of the federal minister.

J. G. Rutherford, live stock commissioner at Ottawa, was also in attendance. At the conclusion of the session all three were elected patrons of the association, while Mr. R. Ness was elected to the presidency. The annual report showed sufficient progress in all branches.

Americans in Jamaica

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Jan. 30.—In the last few days several large properties on the north side of the island have been acquired by Americans for fruit culture. Apart from the existing fruit companies, a large amount of American money is being used to develop the northwestern and northern sections of Bahama. Arrangements for the acquisition of other properties are now being made.

BAPTIST UNION TALKS OF FUNDS

The Question of Apportioning Money Raised in West Comes Up for Consideration—Educational Matters

VANCOUVER, Jan. 30—The Baptist Union today went into committee of the whole on the budget and considered the apportionment of $50,000 raised in the west, among home missions, foreign missions and education. Mr. Parker took the chair in the temporary absence of President Patterson. It was proposed to divide the $50,000 on last year's basis, when the apportionment was as follows:

British Columbia education $3,000; foreign missions $4,000; home missions $1,500; Alberta home missions $12,00; Saskatchewan home missions, $4,500; education $1,000; Manitoba, $13,000 for all purposes. $6,000 was required for German and Scandinavian missions, making a total of $54,300. On this basis the apportionment of the $50,000 would be $11,500 for foreign missions, $32,000 for home missions, and $1,600 for education. President Patterson proposed that education should receive $9,850, but withdrew an amendment he had offered to this effect. It was resolved to appoint a committee of five, consisting of Messrs. Freeman, Leitch, Reekie, McCormick and McLean, to report on the budget, as it was impossible for such a large body as the union to thrash it out in time.

At tonight's session of the union Rev. D. B. Harkness' suggestion that one central board of education should take the place of the present arrangement was adopted, when the committee on legislation gave their report. This, in Mr. Harkness' opinion, will greatly simplify the educational work of the denomination.

Rev. Dr. Parker submitted the report of the moral and social committee in place of Dr. Spencer. Regarding British Columbia the report states that the Baptist church loyally supports local option, but deplores that politicians are afraid of temperance legislation, which means that they are afraid of the liquor vote. The church is not yet aroused to her privileges and duties in tihs matter, and although a great deal has been done by way of lectures for eliminating the "red light districts" still some remain. It believes that there is a growing sentiment in the province in favor of temperance and moral reform."

SIR DONALD MANN

Canadian Northern Magnate Has Recovered After a Severe Illness

Sir Donald Mann, vice president of the Canadian Northern, and head of a score of major enterprises which mean much in the building of a greater Canada, reached Victoria yesterday on his way back to his Toronto home, after two months' recuperation in California, subsequent to the serious operation performed in Toronto, news of which occasioned very great and personal anxiety to this captain of industry's legion of friends in the western provinces. Lady Mann is expected to join her husband here during the next few days and Sir Donald will probably be here for ten days or more. He is accompanied by Col. Davidson, chief of the colonization branch of Canadian Northern activities, who will remain in Victoria for several days.

As to business matters in which he fills so large a part, Sir Donald at present has nothing to say. He has, as he says, been out of touch with even his own affairs for the better part of three months, and it must take him a little while to pick up the many threads.

WILL ABDICATE IMMEDIATELY

Decision Reached at Conference Held by Chinese Empress Dowager and Prominent Manchu Princes

REBEL CONDITIONS ARE ACCEPTED

Imperial Family and Princes to Retain Titles and Receive Pensions — Soldiers Killed With Dynamite

PEKING, Jan. 30.—It is understood that immediate abdication of the throne has been decided upon as a result of the conference today between the Empress Dowager, Prince Chun, the ex-Regent, and Prince Chin, the ex-Premier, in accordance with the conditions laid down by the republicans, that the Imperial family and princes are to retain their empty titles, reside in Peking or elsewhere at their pleasure and receive annual pensions aggregating 3,000,000 taels ($2,000,000), and that the transfer of power will be effected with as little loss of dignity to the throne as possible.

The Empress Dowager has summoned a cabinet meeting for tomorrow for details of the abdication. Premier Yuan avers his readiness to accept almost any solution that will ensure peace. He has no fear for the country's future, he says, if the settlement is the fruit of reason, truth and justice. He further says he has no ambition to become president.

Soldiers Killed

Many soldiers were killed by the explosion of a dynamite mine under an imperialist troop train which was proceeding from Siaokan, 30 miles north of Hankow, to Ho Nan.

A bomb was thrown at the Viceroy, who was travelling on another train, but it struck the car adjoining, killing a number of soldiers but not injuring the Viceroy.

General Liang Pi, a former commandant of the Imperial guards, who was injured on January 27th by a bomb thrown by a Chinaman while the general was alighting from his carriage at his home in Peking, has since died.

Bombs at Tientsin

LONDON, Jan. 30.—Bombs were thrown today at the residences of the Viceroy and the commanding general at Tientsin, but the attempts to destroy the houses with their occupants, among whom were several important officials, were not successful.

According to a news agency dispatch received today, several arrests were made and it is believed the would-be assassins are among the prisoners.

MORE SUBMARINES FOR BRITAIN

BARROW, England, Jan. 30.—The Admiralty has ordered from Vickers Sons and Maxim three submarines. The submarines are to be armed with three quick firers which emerge through the hatchway, fire and sink into the hold before the hatches close and the vessel submerges.

TOO FREE WITH NAMES

American Explorers Undertake to Tack Names on Canadian Lands in Far North

OTTAWA, Jan. 30.—Commander Peary and other American explorers have given American names to so many Canadian lands, that unless something is done, "Hail Columbia" will be scattered all over the Canadian Arctic lands, says Capt. Bernier, the Canadian explorer, today. Peary called one portion of Crocker's land in honor of ten of his party, although he had never set foot on it, or been within miles of it, said Capt. Bernier. He considers such places should be renamed by proper occupation. It is understood that Capt. Bernier's report of his discoveries on his recent trip north will show some radical differences from the reports of the American explorers.

PRESERVATION OF B. C. FORESTS

Mr. A. C. Flumerfelt Points Out Importance of Adopting Proper Measures at Present Juncture

VANCOUVER, Jan. 30.—The necessity for preserving the British Columbia forests and logging in a businesslike way was the theme taken by Mr. A. C. Flumerfelt for his address before the Canadian club today. Mr. D. von Cramer, president of the club, was the chairman.

Mr. Flumerfelt had some interesting statistics to submit to his audience, which brought home the magnitude and the great possibilities of British Columbia. In his opening remarks he laid stress on the rapid development markets and in the rapidly decreasing areas of timber, and said that in five or ten years British Columbia stumpage would appear exceedingly small.

"Those who have courage to retain their timber for a few years will reap a profitable harvest," commented Mr. Flumerfelt.

The British Columbia industries of mining, fishing, agriculture and lumbering were dependent on each other for development, said Mr. Flumerfelt, and he advocated the application of

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SIR DONALD MANN
Vice President of the C. N. Railway

DEVELOPMENTS OF IMPORTANCE

Attorney-General Bowser's Intimation to Vancouver Conservative Meeting in Regard to Railway Programme

MEANS PROGRESS FOR WHOLE PROVINCE

Contracts May be Signed Within Ten Days and Pronouncement Made by Premier in a Fortnight's Time

VANCOUVER, Jan. 30.—Unquestionably the most enthusiastic meeting which has taken place in Vancouver for a long time was that held tonight at the Dominion hall, when the annual convention of the Vancouver Conservative association brought together an attendance which filled the hall. Testifying to the united strength of the party, the unflagging zeal of its delegates and members, it was also the occasion for important pronouncements on the part of Hon. W. J. Bowser, the attorney-general, regarding weighty matters bound up with the progress and still greater advancement both of the city and of the province.

In the course of a lengthy speech, in which he mentioned that he had always made it a point of attending these annual meetings, although life was strenuous at Victoria during the time of the session, the attorney-general stated that important developments may shortly be looked for regarding the railway policy of the government. Within ten days, said Mr. Bowser, contracts would probably be signed, having a large bearing on the railway development, both of the city, the Island of Vancouver and the whole of the province, and he expected that in a fortnight's time Hon. Mr. McBride would most likely be in a position to make a pronouncement as to what would be done.

The indication thrown out was that communication between the north and south in the way of opening up the fertile valleys would be found to have been given special attention in the interests of the farmers and for the general benefit of the province.

MARTIAL LAW FOR LISBON

Disorders Growing Out of General Strike Cause Government to Order Suspension of Constitutional Guarantees

MANY BOMBS THROWN BY THE RIOTERS

LISBON, Jan. 30.—Owing to the grave situation caused by the general strike, the constitutional guarantees have been suspended and martial law has been proclaimed in the district of Lisbon. The city has been handed over to the command of General Carvalhal, and troops surround the town. Reinforcements are constantly arriving.

There are 8,000 troops under arms in Lisbon, where the strikers declare they will have 20,000 bombs with which they will be able to annihilate the soldiers. Several bombs already have been thrown with terrific effect.

The government is desirous of preserving a moderate and prudent attitude, and offers to concede part of the strikers' demands and release all strikers arrested during the disturbances in Evora district and the dismissal of the governor of Evora. The troops are under orders to raid all suspicious places, wholesale arrests have been made and innumerable firearms seized. The prisoners are being placed aboard warships in the harbor.

Toward evening strikers assembled in various quarters and bombs were thrown at mounted republican guards in Rocio square. In the suburb of Alcantara troops with drawn swords charged the mobs.

The government ascertained that the strike was fomented by royalists, who supplied the strikers in Evora with $600,000. The intention of the Royaltists was to send 1,500 armed men across the frontier into eastern Portugal, that section being more favorable to a monarchy, and start a general uprising, but the government hurried reinforcements there.

Pension For Widow of Tolstoi

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 30.—The Russian Emperor has granted a pension to the widow of Tolstoi, who hereafter will receive 10,000 roubles ($5,000) annually.

RAILWAY COMMISSION

Likely to Be Enlarged by Addition of Two Members, One of Whom Will Be Appointed Sub-Chairman

OTTAWA, Jan. 30.—Legislation will probably be introduced this session to carry into effect the government's announced policy in regard to the railway commission. The commission is to be extended as was promised by the present leader of the government while in opposition. The necessary legislation will be introduced this session if the course of the government legislation already brought down is not impeded. It is understood that the proposal does not involve the establishment of a separate commision having jurisdiction in the west. The more likely course is that the present commission will be enlarged by the addition of two members, one of them to be sub-chairman. The commission will thus be large enough to allow the holding of say two sittings in different parts of the country at the same time. Under this plan the commissioners will not be grouped territorially, but will work together as one body, with the whole of Canada as their territory. It will be necessary in the near future to appoint a commissioner to succeed the late Thomas Greenway. For one of the new appointments A. S. Goodeve is prominently mentioned.

Copyright Treaty

BUDA PEST, Jan. 30.—The copyright treaty between Hungary and the United States was signed here today.

FRUIT GROWERS IN CONVENTION

Delegates to Dominion Conference Elected—Unfortunate Attitude of Two of Last Year's Choice

The annual convention of the British Columbia Fruit Growers' association was opened yesterday in the Unitarian hall, Government street, when there was a large gathering in attendance. Many interesting addresses were delivered on subjects of peculiar interest to fruit growers, one of the leading themes being the necessity for a greater exercise of co-operative work on the part of the growers, which was spoken to learnedly by Mr. H. C. Atwell of Oregon and Senator W. H. Paulhamus of Puyallup, Wash. The Hon. Price Ellison was unable to be present at the opening system, but he conveyed his greetings by Mr. W. E. Scott, the deputy minister, and promised to be in attendance today. Premier McBride also sent word that he would address the convention today. Reports of the past year's work were submitted and adopted. Mr. R. H. Agur of Summerland presided.

At the evening session which was prolonged until eleven o'clock there was a keen discussion created over the appointment of delegates to the Dominion conference to be held this year at Ottawa. Delegates were appointed to the conference last year in view of the anticipation that the conference would be held sometime last year, but that was rendered impossible on account of the political situation in the recent general election and the change of government from the Liberal to the Conservative party. At yesterday's session a motion was made to consider the appointment of new delegates and this met with immediate opposition from Messrs. Brydon and Maxwell Smith, who had been elected to represent the convention by ballot taken at the last meeting. In view of the fact that the minutes of the last meeting, wherein the election referred to was recorded, had been adopted, it was contended by the delegates named that it was out of order to consider the appointment or election of substitutes. The chairman however, gave a ruling on the subject contrary to that opinion which was upheld by the convention, and as a result of the nominations for the position of delegates to go to Ottawa to attend the Dominion conference the following were elected: Mr. F. W. Somers (for Vancuover Island), Mr. J. C. Metcalfe (for the Lower Mainland), Messrs. R. H. Agur and W. C. Ricardo (for the Okanagan), Messrs. T. Abriel and J. Rooke (for the Kootenay and Boundary)

The Resolution

The following resolution, moved by Mr. J. Kidston and seconded by Mr. T. Bullman, was the means of precipitating the discussion on the subject:

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FOR COMMISSION ON THE TARIFF

Finance Minister Introduces Resolution Authorizing Its Creation — Commissioners to Hold Office Five Years

BOUNDARY QUESTION IS NEARLY SETTLED

Probability of Inquiry Concerning Hon. F. Oliver Being Re-Opened—Advance for Montreal Harbor

OTTAWA, Jan. 30.—This has been a quiet day the House spending it almost altogether in discussion of the grain bill. This is almost wholly an adoption of the measure left over by the Laurier government. It interested the western members, who moved down to the front seats and were very busy.

Earlier a tariff commission resolution was put through committee. It was not fully discussed, that phase being reserved for the bill, but Mr. White was briskly questioned, and it came out that the commissioners will hold office for five years.

At the opening of the House, Hon. Mr. Borden and Sir Wilfrid expressed sympathy for the Royal family in its bereavement.

Messrs. Best and Morphy followed with contradictions of the yarn which sundry Liberal newspapers have been publishing that they informed Mr. Smith, chairman of the agriculture committee, that Colonel Hughes' militia estimates must be cut down. Messrs Best and Morphy gave the story a flat denial.

Hon. Mr. White's tariff commission resolution was put through committee. One new feature was the fact that the three commissioners are to hold office, for three years.

"Will the farmers be represented?" inquired Mr. Lemieux.

Mr. White replied that the question of personnel has not yet been settled. It would be a mistake either to exclude or appoint any man on account of his calling.

In reply to questions, Mr. White made it clear that the commission has not executive powers, but will secure information for the government to act upon.

Mr. Foster got a second reading of his grain bill, and the House went into committee on it.

Manitoba Boundaries

The Manitoba and Ontario boundaries question is being settled. Hon. Mr. Cochrane returned today from Toronto, and Premier Roblin and Hon. Colin Campbell of Manitoba arrived this morning. No announcement was forthcoming tonight, but it is believed that following a series of conferences held today an announcement of the satisfactory termination of the negotiations will be made this week.

Oliver Inquiry

The matter of the Oliver enquiry is again to the fore. A question as to the intention of the government was asked by Arthur Sevigny of Dorchester. The enquiry, it will be remembered, came to an end by the summary dissolution of the last parliament despite the undertaking of Victor Geoffrion, one of the ministerial whips, and a member of the committee of investigation, that there would be no dissolution before another sitting of the committee. It is probable that the investigation will be re-opened

The minister of finance tonight gives notice of a resolution providing for additional advances to the Montreal harbor commission up to a total of six million dollars. The money so advanced is to be devoted chiefly to the construction of terminal facilities and to pay off and retire debentures of the commission of the par value of six hundred thousand dollars, maturing at the rate of two hundred thousand dollars per annum in each of the years of 1913-14-15. The commission is to deposit with the minister of finance bonds covering the amount advanced, payable in 25 years at 3½ per cent.

Inventor Commits Suicide

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Andries Bevier, an inventor, 69 years old, committed suicide in his room here today. A son, Lubois Bevier, lives in Spokane, Wash.

Fifty Years Ago Today

(From The Colonist of January 31st, 1862.)

Winter Evening Lectures—The ninth lecture of the series will be delivered in Moore's Hall, Yates street, on Tuesday, the 11th of February, at [illegible] by the Rev. Dr. Evans. Subject: "Chivalry as Connected with European Civilisation." The tenth lecture will be delivered by Archdeacon [illegible] "Recollections of a Military Chaplin." C. M. Glover, G. M. [illegible] art, committee on lectures.

The bark D. M. Hall discharged the remainder of her cargo [illegible]

Launched—The gunboat Forward was yesterday launched [illegible] ton's shipyard. At the end of the ways her [illegible] will have to lay there until next tide.

House of Assembly—Yesterday the resignation of [illegible] member for Esquimalt town, was handed in and [illegible] of motion that a writ to fill the vacancy be issued. [illegible] Bankrupty Act were received and [illegible] into effect on the first of March next.

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common sense business principles to the cutting of timber. There are two hundred billion feet of timber in the fifteen million acres of commercial forests of this province.

He pointed out that the great irrigated land projects were entirely dependent upon water, and that to have the water, the watersheds and the forest storehouses must be maintained. He energetically emphasized the need of a wise forestry policy, for upon this not only depends our own prosperity but the very life of our children and their successors.

Mr. Flumerfelt concluded by saying, "The destiny of the great province of British Columbia depends upon the forestry policy adopted now."

Charles Dean's Companion

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Jan. 30.—Mrs. Minnie Griffiths, the woman said to have been associated with Chas. Dean, alleged member of the gang which robbed the bank of Montreal at New Westminster, B. C., was married here tonight to her former husband, William Griffin, a barber of this city. Two years ago the Griffins were divorced in Tacoma, Wash., Mrs. Griffin being given the custody of the two children. When Dean was recently arrested in Los Angeles, Mrs. Griffin was closely questioned. Her trunks and other baggage were searched by the police in their efforts to secure evidence against the supposed bank robber, and Mrs. Griffin was shadowed to San Diego. At that time it was reported that a reconciliation with her former husband had taken place.

Coal Miners' Wage Dispute

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 30.—Long debate over the conflicting terms of wage contracts for the bituminous miners was the prospect when the sub-committee of the joint conference concluded its first day's session. That little progress had been made toward an agreement is expected to be the report of the miners' scale committee to the United Mine Workers' convention. The convention is holding brief sessions today until either a contract approved by miners and operators, is submitted for ratification or it is notified that an agreement is impossible.

Youth Captures Highwayman

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Jan. 30.—While his aged father was being held up by two highwaymen and relieved of $300 late last night, George Cummings, a youth scarcely in his teens, heard the calls for help from his father, gave chase to the fleeing robbers and succeeded in overtaking George M. McCoy. In the fight which ensued young Cummings overpowered the burly thief and sat upon him until J. B. Cummings, his father, had summoned the police. McCoy was booked for highway robbery today. His accomplice escaped, but the police believe he will be captured.

Against Hindu Immigration

VANCOUVER, Jan. 30.—Five hundred Conservatives at their annual meeting tonight pledged themselves against the suggested changes in the Dominion immigration laws for the admission of the wives of resident Hindus. They urged the Dominion government to prohibit Asiatic immigration into Canada.

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ENDORSES IDEA OF PRISON ISLE

Vancouver Island Development League Favorable to Establishment of Institution for Whole Island in Gulf

The Victoria, Oak Bay and North Saanich branches of the Vancouver Island Development league have endorsed the following resolution which will be presented to the government today:

"Whereas the provincial jail at Victoria has been destroyed by fire and whereas the government, out of deference to the wishes of the citizens of the city of Victoria, have decided not to rebuild the present jail, nor to build a new jail within the corporate limits of the city of Victoria, and whereas it would be distasteful to the residents of the surrounding municipalities to have a jail placed within their borders, and whereas, in our opinion the time has come when the government should build a jail large enough to accommodate all the prisoners of the Island of Vancouver who are under sentence of more than one month's imprisonment, therefor be it resolved that the government of the province of British Columbia should be urged to secure an island at some convenient point in the Gulf of Georgie with sufficient good arable land thereon to enable them to erect a suitable jail and maintain a prison farm so that the prisoners may be treated in a humane manner and employed in a natural, healthy and profitable manner during their incarceration." This resolution will also be sent to all the branches of the league for their endorsement.

The league has also received from Mr. Thomas Sorby, the fifth annual report of the Inner Harbor association together with a blue print of the suggested developments which if carried out will secure free and safe navigation for all vessels entering and go far to secure this port the share in the increased trade brought about by the opening of the Panama Canal to which she is entitled.

Yesterday's mail brought several inquiries from Ontario, and still more from the mainland of this province, which prove that those who know this island best are most anxious to make their homes here. Some fishermen from Plymouth, Mich., U. S. A., write that the fishing there is getting poor and that they would like land near the water where they could both fish and farm. They use motor boats, but do not want a place where it rains for half the year.

Reward for Bank Robbers

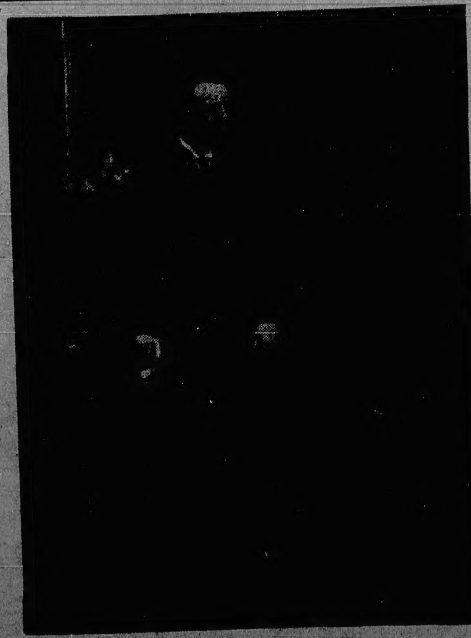
VANCOUVER, Jan. 30.—The management of the Royal Bank of Canada today authorized the offer of a reward of $1,000 for information which will lead to the arrest and conviction of the men who held up the branch of the bank at South Vancouver last week, and in addition 10 per cent. for information leading to the recovery of the whole or any part of the $2,000 taken. Chief Jackson of South Vancouver last night sent a telegram advising this reward to the police in all the nearby cities.

Proposed Children's Bureau

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 30.—The proposals for a children's bureau in the department of commerce and labor to investigate and report on all matters affecting the welfare of children was debated in the senate today without action, and will be voted upon tomorrow.

Montreal Juvenile Court

MONTREAL, Jan. 30.—Without any formality of legal procedure a new era was inaugurated in Montreal criminal proceedings today when the juvenile court under the direction of Judge Choquette was opened in the quarters set aside for the purpose.



THE DUKE OF FIFE
Who died on Monday last.

Barkentine Floated

ASTORIA, Ore., Jan. 30.—The American barkentine Crocker, stranded on Clatsop Spit since 10 a. m. today, was floated this evening by the tug Goliah and towed back to Astoria.

Death of Florence St. John

LONDON, Jan. 30.—Florence St. John, the actress, died today. She was born in 1854, and had been identified with the stage from the age of 14.

Oil Motor Ship

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 30.—The Zeelandia, the largest oil motor ship in the world, underwent a successful trial trip here today. She maintained a speed of 12 knots an hour. The vessel displaces 10,000 tons and is equipped with two motors of 3000 horsepower each. She belongs to the East Asiatic company.

Caught in Ice Floes

CHICAGO, Jan. 30.—Two tugs, carrying 19 men were rescued from ice floes ten miles off shore here tonight but the rescuer, another tug, became caught in the floes and its crew of 12 men faced the same peril from the wind and starvation which confronted the rescued tug.

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SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., Jan. 30.—According to advices received by the authorities here today C. Williams, who is held in the county jail on a charge of forgery, is a swindler of international record. The Traders Bank of Canada at Calgary, Alberta, today wired the local officials that Williams was being sought by officers in many cities, and that worthless checks he had cashed on that bank amounted to several thousand dollars.

Montreal Board of Trade

MONTREAL, Jan. 30.—At the annual meeting of the Montreal board of trade today the members declared themselves very strongly in favor of retention in office of the present Montreal harbor commissioners, irrespective of parliament's opinion. Resolutions dealing with the proposed exploiting of the St. Lawrence and Ottawa rivers for power purposes, strongly opposing the endangering of these waters for navigation purposes and advocating that if necessary the government should take up the whole matter in the interests of the public, so as to secure cheap power, while at the same time preserving the interests of navigation, were passed.

I. W. W. at Work

SPOKANE, Jan. 30.—A crowd of about 100 Industrial Workers of the World members and sympathizers, attempted tonight to rescue a prisoner who had been arrested on the street near where an Industrial Worker of the World orator was holding forth. The night shift of police was at the station just about to go on duty and was sent to the scene in a body, dispersing the mob. No one was arrested.

Rev. Mr. Campbell's Report

LONDON, Jan. 30.—Rev. R. J. Campbell, pastor of the city temple, London, who has returned from a trip to the United States, today expressed the greatest admiration for the American university system. He was struck by the desire of the whole country for a peace treaty with Great Britain. It could not be doubted, he said, that American workmen are better off than the English, but the struggle between capital and labor is much more bitter in the United States than in England.

Commissioner Leonard

BRANTFORD, Ont., Jan. 30.—The board of trade tonight tendered a complimentary banquet to Major R. W. Leonard, now at the head of the National Transcontinental Railway commission. Major Leonard said he took the job because the premier asked him, and he considered such a request an order. "All I have I got in Canada, and it belongs to Canada," he said. He stated that although there are over three hundred miles not yet laid, he hoped that by the next autumn the line would be completed to Cochrane and in the following year the road would be open for traffic. The Quebec bridge will not be finished for fully five years.

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Ladies' Underskirts of good white cotton, flounce of fine lawn, trimmed with narrow tucks, also frill of embroidery. Reg. $1.00. Sale price	75c
Ladies' Fine Cotton Underskirts with deep lawn flounce, trimmed with three rows of cluny lace insertion and edged with flounce of cluny lace, also have under dust frill. Reg. $1.25. Sale price	$1.00
Ladies' Fine Cotton Underskirts with deep lawn flounce, one row of wide embroidery insertion, flounce of embroidery and dust frill. Regular $1.25. Sale price	$1.00
Ladies' Fine Cambric Underskirts with flounce of good quality lawn, cluster of narrow tucks, deep lace insertion, ruffle of lace and under dust frill. Reg. $1.50. Sale price	$1.25
Ladies' Underskirts of Extra Fine Nainsook with deep lawn flounce, embroidery insertion and deep embroidery ruffle, also has under dust frill. Reg. $2.50. Sale price	$2.00

Drawers

Ladies' Fine Cotton Drawers, umbrella flounce, trimmed with hem stitching. Regular 35c. Sale price	25c
Ladies' Drawers of fine cotton, with lawn flounce and trimmed with fine tucking. Regular 45c. Sale price	30c
Ladies' Extra Fine Cotton Drawers with flounce of fine lawn, cluster tucks and edged with embroidery. Regular 65c. Sale price	50c
Ladies' Drawers of Extra Fine Cotton lawn flounce and trimmed with lace edge. Regular 75c. Sale Price	60c
Ladies' Extra Fine Nainsook Drawers with deep flounce of exquisite embroidery. Regular 90c. Sale price	75c
Ladies' Extra Fine Nainsook Drawers with embroidered insertion and ruffle of embroidery. Reg. $1.00. Sale price	75c

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Corset Covers

Ladies' Fine Cotton Corset Covers, round necks and edged with lace. Reg. 35c. Sale price	25c
Ladies' Nainsook Corset Covers, neck and sleeves trimmed with embroidery. Reg. 45c. Sale price	35c
Ladies' Corset Covers of fine nainsook, round necks with yoke of all-over embroidery ribbon. Regular price 65c. Sale price	50c
Ladies' Nainsook Corset Covers, excellent quality, with round yoke of embroidered insertion, neck and sleeves edged with lace. Regular 75c. Sale price	60c
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Ladies' Extra Strong Cotton Nightdresses, trimmed with cluster tucking, necks and sleeves edged with ruffle. Regular $1.00. Sale price	75c
Ladies' Fine Nainsook Nightdresses, with round necks of all-over embroidery and ribbon draw, slip-over style, short sleeves. Regular $1.25. Sale price	$1.00
Ladies' Fine Nainsook Nightdresses, slip-over style, round neck, finished with Swiss beading and threaded with ribbon, short sleeves. Regular $1.25. Sale price	$1.00
Ladies' Extra Fine Nainsook Nightdresses, slip-over style, high neck, trimmed with embroidery and lace. Regular $1.60. Sale price	$1.25
Ladies' Extra Fine Nainsook Nightdresses, slip-over style, round yoke of insertion and beading threaded with ribbon. Regular $1.75. Sale price	$1.50

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WILL RAISE THE PASTOR'S SALARY

Rev. Dr. MacRae of St. Paul's, Victoria West, Will Have $1500 and Four Weeks' Vacation

The honorary D.D. degree conferred on the Rev. Dr. MacRae by the senate of the Presbyterian college of Montreal last year has been much appreciated by the congregation of St. Paul's church, Victoria West, and at its annual meeting on Monday evening last it was agreed to add $150 to the minister's salary, making it now $1500 with four weeks' vacation.

The statement of the session, in reviewing the life and work of the church during the year, indicated gratifying progress as shown by the reports of the different departments of the church's work.

That of the board of management showed the finances to be in a very satisfactory condition. The income from all sources for all purposes was $3594, of which $452 was given to the missionary and benevolent schemes of the church with $40 additional towards the general assembly synod and presbytery expense funds and $31 contributed to the Bible society. The sum of $1000 was paid on account of the new lecture room and the installation of a new heating system, and the balance, less $140, which remains as a credit working balance in the hands of the Ladies' Aid society, was devoted to current expenses.

The Ladies' Aid society reported 108 active members and receipts of $495. The Women's Missionary society reported 27 active members and receipts of $62, also a small mission band with receipts of $4 having been but recently organized. The Sabbath school reported 96 enrolled and a staff of nine teachers and receipts of $142. The Adult Bible class reported 34 members and receipts $90. The Y. P. S. C. E. reported 35 members and receipts of $99.

The four retiring members of the board of management were re-elected, the board being now constituted as follows: Mr. A. W. Semple, chairman; D. Fraser, secretary; W. D. Mackintosh, treasurer; W. J. Robertson, envelope secretary; Geo. McCandless, Frederick Peatt and Robert McCoubray.

Plans were made to prosecute missionary effort with special vigor in order to realize the $1200 allotted to the congregation out of the $15,000 allocated to the Presbytery towards the general assembly's million dollar budget for missions and benevolence for 1912. A mission committee consisting of Messrs. Geo. McCandless, W. J. Robertson and W. H. McDonald was appointed for this purpose.

At the conclusion of the business a very pleasant social hour was enjoyed.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE

Court of Appeal

Forman vs. Ryan: Argument in this case was concluded and judgment reserved.

King Lumber company vs. Canadian Pacific Railway company: Appeal from an order of Wilson Co. J. sitting as a local judge of the Supreme Court, granting an application for the examination of one McDonald, a fire warden, in an action for damages caused by a fire alleged to have been started by one of defendant company's engines. This was a motion for a stay of proceedings under that order pending an appeal, but by consent it was allowed to be taken as a hearing of the appeal. The facts were somewhat indefinitely before the Court, but in effect they were that one Cook had been examined for discovery in the action. Cook was a fire warden of the company having a large area to cover. It developed from his evidence that the witness McDonald was the warden who patrolled the particular area covered by the fire. It was alleged for the company that the fire occurred on the 4th of July, and that McDonald did not enter their service until the 18th, and he is not now in their employ. For the plaintiff it was alleged that the fire smouldered until the 31st of July when it broke out and did the damage. The question was whether (1) McDonald was an officer of the company who could bind them by any admissions or statements so as to come within the rule, and if not, then not now being a servant of the company he was not examinable as such.

Bodwell, K.C., for the Company, in support of the appeal: "We say that the rule distinguishes between a past and present officer or servant of the corporation, and we submit in any event that this fire warden would not be an officer within the rule. It would be wrong to bind a corporation by the statements of a person (who had been in their employ) after he had left their service. As to who is an officer, see Morrison v. Grand Trunk Railway Co., 5 O.L.R. 38. If McDonald were at present in the service there is no doubt he could be examined."

Macdonald, C.J.A.: "Is he not a past officer under this rule?"

Bodwell: He came into the company's employ after this fire. He commenced on the 18th and the fire broke out on the 4th. He can have no knowledge of it.

Maclean, K.C., contra: We say the fire started on the 4th and smouldered until the 31st, and McDonald was given superintendence over this area. He therefore was on the ground from the 18th to the 31st, and must of necessity have knowledge. He is also an officer, examinable under the rule. See Dawson v. London Street Railway, 18 Pr. 223, where a motorman and a conductor were held to be officers of the company for purposes of discovery. See also Watson v. Rodwell, 3 ch. D., 380.

Bodwell in reply: The Dawson case is distinguishable; the men there were present servants, and the Company were given the election of which man should be examined.

Macdonald, C.J.A.: As both my learned brothers are satisfied that the person sought to be examined was an officer of the company and therefore examinable under the rule, there is no need to reserve judgment, although I may say I have some doubt.

Irving, J.A.: I think he was an officer. As to what constitutes a person an officer, that depends upon each particular case. This man was one to whom subordinates would report from time to time and would be in a position to state what reports he would receive from his assistants.

Galliher, J.A.: I think that while he was in the employ of the company he was an officer liable to examination, and the fact that he had left the employ would not take from him any information that he had gained while he was an officer; in fact, he is a past officer.

Before Gregory, J.

Re Tiddington: Judgment has been given on the return of an order nisi for a writ of habeas corpus to discharge Tiddrington, committed for extradition.

The learned judge says: Section 8 of the Extradition Act, R.S.C., 1906, Cap. 155, covers the point taken, for it provides that the judge shall take judicial notice of the orders-in-council, etc., giving effect to extradition arrangements.

A number of objections were raised as to the sufficiency of the evidence, but it is unnecessary to deal with them at length for in my opinion there is sufficient evidence to justify a magistrate in committing him for trial if the offence had been committed in this country, and that is all that is required by section 18 of the Extradition Act.

If there is any evidence to support the committal, it is not my duty to review the magistrate's decision on the ground that it is against the [illegible] evidence: Clark on Extradition [illegible] p. 235; the Queen v. [illegible] 551; re Orton, 13 Ont. C.C. [illegible] is my duty to [illegible] extradition treaties: [illegible] re Orton, supra, and re Collins, [illegible] 10 C.C.C. 80. The order will be [illegible].

Aikman for accused; [illegible]

Hall v. White: [illegible] enforce [illegible]

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Wednesday, January 31, 1912

THE NAVAL RESOLUTION

The naval question, brought before the Legislature by Mr. Brewster, has been disposed of in a very satisfactory manner, the member from Alberni appearing to accept the Premier's amendment. There is really no difference of opinion among the people on this subject, that is, excluding what we believe is a small minority, which has not learned as yet to appreciate the necessity of naval defense. We took no exception to the views presented by Mr. Brewster, and we do not think the most ardent Liberal will find any fault with those expressed by Mr. McBride. Individually, we may hold strongly certain ideas as to the form which Canadian naval policy ought to assume, but pending the contemplated consultation between the Minister of Marine and the First Lord of the Admiralty, it would seem to be premature for the Legislature to place itself on record in respect to any details. The new resolution will have no uncertain meaning and as it will voice the sentiments of practically the whole Legislature, it will leave no doubt upon any one's mind as to where British Columbia stands on this vital question, or as to the opinions of the people of this province as to the importance of the adequate defense of the Pacific coast.

On Naval Defense the Colonist has taken its own course quite irrespective of the attitude of its political friends or those to whom it was politically opposed. It has felt that upon this new issue, upon the proposal that Canada should take a share of the burden of imperial defense, there ought to be a full and frank expression of opinion, irrespective as far as possible of party affiliations. Therefore of the policy of Sir Wilfred Laurier as far as it went, we expressed approval, but we also expressed the opinion that it did not go far enough. We did not hesitate to say that something was accomplished in the right direction when Parliament had stated in the most solemn terms known to our institutions that Canadians must assume a new responsibility, neither did we hesitate to say that the measure of the rsponsibility as set forth in the naval programme of Sir Wilfred Laurier was not equal to the necessities of the case or to the dignity and the importance of the Dominion. We have throughout taken the position that in the policy as presented by the Liberal Prime Minister there was no adequate recognition of the importance of the defense of the Pacific coast or of the necessity of Canadian co-operation in the maintenance of British naval prestige in the waters of the Pacific.

Holding these views, which we think the Colonist was, if we are not mistaken, the first to express, we have only unqualified approval of the remarks made by Mr. McBride yesterday, and we are very glad indeed that a way has been discovered whereby Conservatives and Liberals can stand on common ground in respect to what we look upon as an issue of the first importance.

THE NEXT FOUR YEARS

In the course of his speech at the Press Gallery dinner Mr. McBride laid great stress upon the progress which is assured, humanly speaking, to British Columbia during the next four years. Our own convictions are that it is impossible to measure what this progress will be, unless unforeseen circumstances arise. We venture, however, to suggest that among other things we will see within that time the much talked-of rail connection with the Mainland well on the way towards completion. What this will mean to Victoria each of our readers can judge, but we venture to say that none of them will put the resulting advantages at too high a figure.

We are not now speaking with any knowledge of any railway policy, which Mr. McBride may have in contemplation, when we say that nothing can stop the making of that connection at an early day, except a period of prolonged business disaster. The transportation is so developing that this connection will be made beyond any doubt. We are quite prepared to believe that if any of the railway chiefs were asked about it, they would refuse to admit the soundness of this proposition; but that is a way railway men have. They never tell the public what they have in the back of their heads, and this is good business, for it is a good plan for people in any line of activity to keep their ultimate plans to themselves.

But we are going to have the Bute Inlet railway, and we are going to have the Seymour Narrows bridge. At first the connection will be by car-ferry, and it is going to be very satisfactory. Our only fear on this point is that it will be so satisfactory as to retard the construction of the bridge. This, however, is a detail. Victoria is going to have the railway promised by Sir John Macdonald away back in 1873, and she is going to become the ocean terminus of the transcontinental system of railways. Before four years have passed matters will have so far progressed that even the most extreme of the "doubting Thomases" of today will be running around and telling people: "I told you so."

THE IMPERIAL TIE

We often hear it said that Canadians never appreciated the Imperial tie as they do now. From this we beg leave to dissent. Canadians have always appreciated the imperial tie. If we were asked when that appreciation was the most strongly exhibited, we should not refer to the movement for naval defence, nor to the sending of a contingent to South Africa, nor to the British preference; but we should go back to the years following the war of secession in the United States, when the government of that country refused to ratify the Reciprocity Treaty because the people were incensed at the United Kingdom for its alleged attitude of hostility towards the North, and when at various points along the frontier armed men calling themselves Fenians were assembled to invade our country. As most of our readers know, they did invade it, and were only driven back by force. Those persons who remember those days will not need to be reminded how the youth of the provinces rallied to the defence of the country. This was their duty under any circumstances, and we are not claiming that they were entitled to any special credit for so doing. The point to which we wish to direct attention is that, though confronted by commercial antagonism which shut them out of a profitable market, because it was the object of the Washington authorities to punish them because they lived in the British Empire, and threatened with invasion because of matters in Ireland with which they had nothing whatever to do, there was not a single man in the whole of British North America who faltered for a single moment in his loyalty to the Crown and the Empire. Indeed the facts were quite the other way, for under the stress that was then put upon it the Imperial tie grew stronger than it ever had been. We sometimes think it would be well if those, who have lately learned to talk so glibly of the imperial duty of Canadians, would inform themselves a little better as to Canadian history. They would not have quite so much to say, and would take for granted what they are now seeking to demonstrate.

SIR DONALD MANN

It will be a mater of gratification to the many friends of Sir Donald Mann that he is looking little the worse for the very severe strain placed upon his reserve strength through his recent illness. His illness was much more severe than press reports have indicated. Nor has the adventure in which he was a principal in his railway journey northwards from San Francisco set any visible mark upon him. He is the same grim, iron-constitutioned man that he has been for years and is ready to re-enter the arena of tense action in which he has been so long an active figure. Victorians will welcome his stay among them for the next fortnight, a stay which we hope will still further recuperate his powers. He has always entertained a strong attachment for this city, an attachment that we trust will eventually lead him to settle down here permanently.

AN APPEAL TO CHARITY

Mr. J. Rous Cullin writes us concerning a case of poverty which calls for prompt relief. His letter will be found in another column. The Colonist will be glad to receive and acknowledge any sums that may be sent in to be employed for the purpose mentioned by our correspondent and will pay them to the persons for whom they are intended.

We are very sure that the existence of such a distressing case in the city cannot have been known earlier or the necessary relief would have been furnished long ago.

Reference has been made to the fact that the citizens of Vancouver are proceeding with arrangements for the establishment of a commission form of government, and it is asked wherein the case of Victoria differs from theirs. That is easily explained. In Vancouver the proposed measure was duly advertised in the newspapers at full length, so that every citizen could read it for himself and know just what he was voting for. The citizens of Victoria were asked to "buy a pig in a poke."

We are told that "one newspaper in the city was familiar with the contents" of the Bill by which it was proposed to provide for the government of Victoria by commission. We shall not, of course, dispute this statement, but we do say that under these circumstances the newspaper referred to was guilty of the most amazing breach of faith with its readers, and the citizens generally that has ever come under our notice.

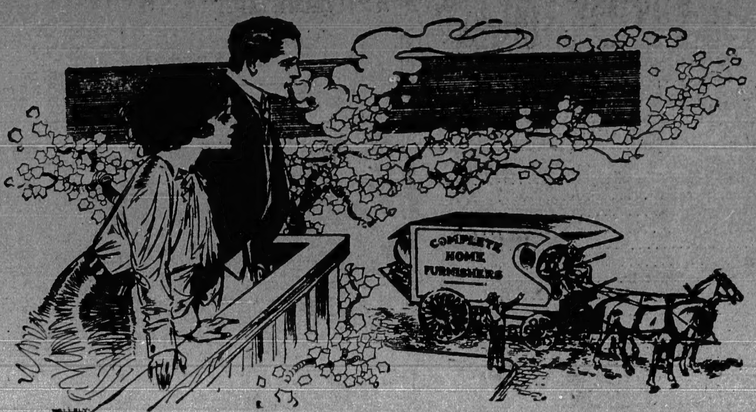
If any opinion can be formed from the opinions which find expression in the telegraphed accounts to the Associated Press of the progress of things political in the United Kingdom, the Liberals will have things pretty nearly their own way. The despatches do not say so, in fact they say quite the contrary; but on the occasion of the recent elections the same correspondents had prophesied Liberal defeat, and in each case there was a sweeping Liberal victory. We mention this matter in order that readers may not take for granted that the opinions expressed in the London telegrams are to be regarded as authoritative. The newspapers are obliged to take what is sent over the wires, or go without news at all. The facts stated in the despatches are correct enough, but the expressions of opinion are really valueless.

When the time comes to discuss the advisability of changing the form of municipal government there will be a few things to be considered that have not yet been discussed. One of them may be thus stated: Government by a wise, just and able man is undoubtedly the best form that can be devised; a high salary would not of necessity attract such a man, but on the contrary it would lead to competition between men who wanted office for the money that was in it; popular choice is liable to error; the best intentioned men make mistakes; there is likely to be more good sense in a number of men than in a few; frequent elections give the public the opportunity of changing their officials and have a tendency to keep the officials straight. We do not say that these are conclusive considerations, but they are worthy of consideration.

The London Daily Telegraph has been sounding the opinion of prominent ecclesiastics on Home Rule and the position which Ulster takes. Here is what the Lord Bishop of Down has to say: "I think the first and most important thing for the people in England to realize is that the men of Ulster are tremendously in earnest, and that they mean everything they say. They are not a people given to bluff, nor do they talk much. They generally say less than they mean. Those who have lived among them for a long period know they are a people very devoted to their liberty. They are full of initiative, and dislike anything which destroys the power of an individual to live his own life in his own way. They are essentially a free people, and they believe Home Rule would really threaten their civil and religious liberties."

Viscount Haldane, the secretary for war, speaking recently in Edinburgh said: "Like the army, the navy has now got a general staff. They call it a war staff. It is a general staff in the same sense as is ours. That means that the navy and the army are going to co-operate in this problem of defence in a fashion we have never done before. This question has been under consideraiton for months past. We have now got two brains to the two services thinking out these war plans, thinking out that problem of defence, and these two staffs have above them a great general staff in the defence committee, which is being adapted to conduct and guide the common operations of these two great staffs. We have got as fine an organization as there is in the world. I think Mr. Churchill's memorandum has called into existence something as scientific and as thorough as is to be found anywhere."

We do not suppose it makes very much difference why George II stood up during the Hallelujah chorus, but the suggestion that he did so because of the majesty of the music, is open to two objections. One of them is that he rose before the chorus and not while it was being sung, at least that is the story that has always been told and not even a king is likely to be impressed with music that he has not yet heard. The next reason is that George II was not a man likely to be impressed with anything except the appearance of a soldier. He was a dull and very commonplace person, with, as has been said, the manners and ideas of a drill sergeant. "His own mind," says one of his biographers, "was incapable of rising above the merest details of business." And the least said about his morals the better. We do not now recall specifically the authority for the story that he stood up because he was tired, but it is very old and we remember that it was told on the strength of the statement of a person who was present. It is well to maintain as much as possible "the dignity that doth hedge about a king." but it is a well-known fact that the first and second Georges were dull-witted men, who were kings only because they had to be and who disliked the whole business



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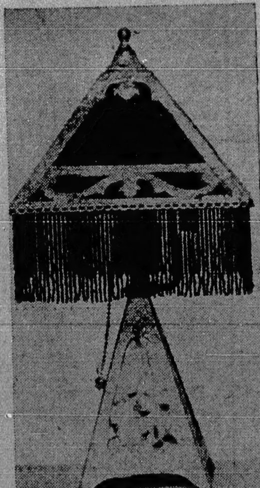

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"Whereas the Dominion conference has not yet taken place, and whereas a year has elapsed since the delegates were appointed by this association, and whereas the number of delegates has been changed, be it resolved that it is in order for this convention to appoint these delegates."

Mr. T. A. Brydon, Victoria, at once rose to his feet and stated that as one of the delegates appointed at the last meeting he protested against the action proposed by the resolution. "You have already adopted the minutes of the meeting recording the appointment of those delegates and I do not think that you can go back upon it. There was no time fixed for the holding of the convention and therefore I do not think that it is in order to interfere with the appointments made. There is something in this that is not right."

The President: "At a full meeting of the directors it was decided that this was the wisest course. I mentioned that the decision of the chair would be final. If any objection was to be taken I think it should have been taken then."

Mr. McHardy: "I move that the ruling of the chair be sustained. A seconder was found immediately and on being put to the meeting the ruling was sustained with only two dissentients.

Committee Man Speaks

Mr. M. Smith—If that motion is in order then it is in order to speak to it. As one of the delegates who were elected, not appointed, one year ago I think I have the right to say something on this question before it is rushed through this convention. If it is perfectly in order that the ruling of the chair should be sustained, that is to say the ruling of the chair that the resolution is in order, you must take into consideration in making that ruling where you are at in making it."

The speaker went on to explain that the appointments appeared in the minutes of the meeting, which had been adopted at the outset, after which he said: And the resolution brought in by the resolutions committee I consider is an insult to the intelligence of the convention, which met a year ago. More than that it is an insult to the gentlemen who were chosen by that convention to go to Ottawa to the next Dominion conference. I take issue on the statement that the date of the conference was fixed when that resolution was passed. The resolution was that the delegates to the Dominion conference, appointed by ballot at your convention attend the said conference, to take place about the month of December. As you are all aware circumstances and conditions arose, of which none of us had any conception, which necessitated the postponement of that convention for two months. That in itself does not create any reason why the delegates who were appointed then, who have been occupying their time for one year in preparing themselves to serve the fruit growers of British Columbia at the Dominion conference, and who have even arranged their accommodation at Ottawa—I say that it does not alter the situation for a single minute in any way whatever. If the Dominion government, since the last Dominion election, has seen fit to give more delegates to British Columbia than was granted the province one year ago then it is within the province of this convention to elect those delegates who have been added, if the executive has not seen fit to appoint them."

Resolution Carried

As the resolution carried in spite of the protest, with indeed only the two delegates named voting against it, the delegates to the Dominion conference were elected as stated above.

Immediately this formality was over Mr. Bullman, the seconder of the resolution stated: "It appears to me that everybody is anxious to go to Ottawa. I am a young man in these conventions, and I cannot say that I am altogether enamoured with the feeling that has been engendered by what I consider a perfectly legitimate action on the part of the convention. We want men to go to Ottawa to represent the various localities of the fruit growers in the province, men who understand the needs of the situation. We don't want men to go there just to wear dress suits and see how many dinners they can eat. Of course it is possible for us to make a mistake in the appointment or election of delegates, but if we do this time it will be up to us to see that we make no mistake next time."

The Incident Then Closed

An interesting address on the Puyallup raspberry industry was given by Senator Paulhamus, who emphasized the benefits to be derived from a system of co-operation among the fruit growers, particularly in the organization of a central distributing exchange for the handling of their produce, and the supplying of the markets. He told of what had been done in his own district, showing clearly that since the farmers had organized twelve years ago their conditions had improved beyond recognition. In the old days they had to take whatever prices they could get from the salesmen in the cities, in fact they occasionally sent their goods off without knowing whither they were going or who was going to pay for them. Now, however, they controlled the market, and they dictated the price with the result that where before they got 50 to 70 cents a box they now received as much as $1.50 to $1.75 a box. He explained the difficulties of inaugurating the system on account of the diffidence of the isolated farmers to organize, and added that now, however, they had 900 members in their association showing that the fears of the early days no longer existed.

Co-Operative Exchanges

Along similar lines, but dealing more particularly with the constitution of such an institution as a central distributing co-operative exchange, was a paper read by Mr. H. C. Atwell. He described in detail the constitutions and working of several exchanges operating on the other side of the line, and demonstrated that wherever it was the idea was practiced it was productive of the best results to the grower, reducing the amount of individual labor, cheapening necessary expenditures, and at the same time regulating prices to suit the farmer instead of the middlemen, who in former years had dictated the price to the detriment of both the producer and the consumer.

An interesting report on British Columbia fruit in the prairie markets for the year 1911 with a number of pointers for the coming year was given by Mr. J. C. Metcalfe, market commissioner.

Among the resolutions adopted by the convention was one asking the department of agriculture to provide for the permanent appointment of a commissioner; requesting the minister of agriculture to secure the publication of the report of Professor Etcheverry upon the subject of irrigation as a bulletin; that the government be requested to devise a plan for the enabling of settlers to procure the necessary capital to develop their lands and orchards, and that the necessity be urged upon the department for the strictest supervision of the importation of birds and insects.

President's Address

The president, in his address, stated that the association like nearly all large enterprises, was started in a small way, being little more than a name and was kept alive by assistance from the government and a few enthusiastic horticulturalists. Even in those early days those interested must have had visions of the great future possibilities of the fruit industry of British Columbia. He continued: "The work of the past year has been on the lines of advancement, the growers have taken a much greater interest, the membership has doubled and the association is now on a strong working basis, equipped for accomplishing something worth while, in a position to protect growers' interests, and may now be considered a live wire in the fruit industry of British Columbia. At the same time more can be accomplished, we have just begun to feel the responsibility of the situation. Arriving at this stage it spells success for the future.

"Up and down the fruit districts there are a percentage of growers who are not carrying on their orchard work on the most approved horticultural lines, that is, they are not spraying when or as they should, are not pruning as they should, not cultivating as they should, and in the irrigated areas where water rates prevail, this same class demand the last drop of water instead of working on more intelligent lines of a minimum of water and a maximum of cultivation.

"The fruit industry of British Columbia has received a big shove ahead by the action of the department in the establishing of the packing schools throughout the province. Many of the high awards received at the Vancouver Apple Show last fall came our way through the improved pack we were able to put up. The splendid awards that came Summerland's way last November at the Spokane National Apple Show, would not have materialized if these packing schools had not been inaugurated. A son of a Summerland fruit grower won the first prize for the best packed box of apples at the Spokane National last fall, truly an honor to have accomplished this.

Executive's Report

In the report of the executive it was stated that the work of the association has been carried on during the year by means of both directors' and executive meetings. The association has experienced a year of such growth and development as must be a matter of congratulation not only to the officers but also to the fruit growers of the province and to the Department of Agriculture.

In point of membership the association has this year a total of five hundred and ninety-four, in which are included fifteen affiliated associations as follows: Armstrong Fruit Growers' association, Boswell Kootenay Lake Union, Boswell, Creston Fruit and Produce association, Grand Forks Fruit Growers' association, Hammond Fruit Association, Limited, Hatzic Fruit Growers' association, Kaslo Fruit Growers' association, Kelowna Farmers' Exchange, Limited, Kootenay Fruit Growers' Union, Limited, Nelson, Mission District Fruit Growers' association, Mission, Okanagan Fruit Union, Vernon, Queen's Bay Fruit Growers' association, Queen's Bay, Salmon Arm Farmers' Exchange, Salmon Arm, Summerland Fruit Growers' association, Victoria Fruit Growers' Exchange.

In the general membership are included fourteen life members, one of whom was added during the past year.

The growth of membership from a total of ninety-seven two years ago to two hundred and fifty-nine last year, and five hundred and ninety-four this year, speaks more strongly than anything else of the confidence of fruit growers in the usefulness of the association. Great as is this increase, your executive feel that the continued usefulness of the association will result in a largely augmented membership in the year 1912.

CONSERVATIVES OF WARD FOUR MEET

First Annual Meeting of Organization is an Enthusiastic One—Mr. H. M. Fullerton Again President

Ward Four Conservatives displayed their wonted enthusiasm at the annual meeting held in the Conservative committee rooms, Government street, last evening. Excellent speeches enlivened the proceedings and from the large attendance and energy with which the work of the organization was undertaken, it was evident that the Conservatives of that subdivision will be even more strongly organized than ever before. Pending the election of officers, Mr. Guy Walker, president of Ward Two organization occupied the chair. Short addresses were delivered by Alderman Cuthbert, Messrs. H. B. Thomson, M. P. P., William Blakemore, Mr. R. W. Perry and retiring president H. M. Fullerton. The good work of the latter during the past year was heartily commended and his re-election to the office of president was insisted upon and enthusiastically applauded. The other appointments made were: Secretary, Robert Lowe; treasurer, J. M. Hughes; executive committee, Messrs. W. Blakemore, H. G. Wilson, R. W. Perry, J. A Aikman, E. Brammer, J. Jackson, A. R. Graham, H. Callow, H. Stewart Williams, R. M. Smith, H. Lettuce, E. C. Hayward, Geo. Foster, H. W. R. Moore, Waldo Skillings Messrs H. M. Fullerton, W. Blakemore and R. W. Perry were appointed representatives of the ward upon the central executive.

President-elect Fullerton spoke enthusiastically of the victory of the Conservative party in both provincial and federal elections, he eulogized Premier McBride and his policy and predicted even greater results from the statesmanlike conduct of the premier of the affairs of the province.

Alderman Cuthbert declared the Conservative party to be a constructive party, one responsible for the great progress of the Dominion through its National policy, the party responsible for Confederation and which, under the guidance of the Hon. R. L. Borden, would bring Canada to a higher plane still in development. He referred to the progress of the province under the administration of Premier McBride, and predicted that what has already been done is merely a beginning.

Mr. H. B. Thomson, M. P. P., referred to the wise policy of the provincial government, its care for the development of the great resources of the province and the promise of a still greater future. In a short time Premier McBride, whose railway policy in the past has assured a great future for the province would give to the people the details of a still greater scheme of railway development which would still further assure the opening of the vast resources which are merely awaiting needed lines of communication to be turned into wealth. It is the government's determination to keep British Columbia a white province, to give every necessary encouragement to industries. It had remained for the Conservative government at Ottawa to show its desire to assist Victoria in every way. The harbor developments will be carried out and this city will be the most important Canadian port on the Pacific ready to secure its share of the vast trade which will result from the opening of the Panama canal.

Mr W. E. Blakemore paid a tribute to the McBride government and eulogized the energetic manner in which the government of Mr. Borden has taken up the work of advancing the interests of the Dominion. He believed the election of a Conservative government in the Dominion would prove the turning point in the career of the country, the beginning of a greater and a more prosperous Canada ever attached to the Empire.

Mr. R. W. Perry also spoke briefly, urging continued vigilance on the part of the party and referring to the necessity of organization.

It was decided to hold the regular monthly meeting of the ward organization on the last Tuesday of each month.

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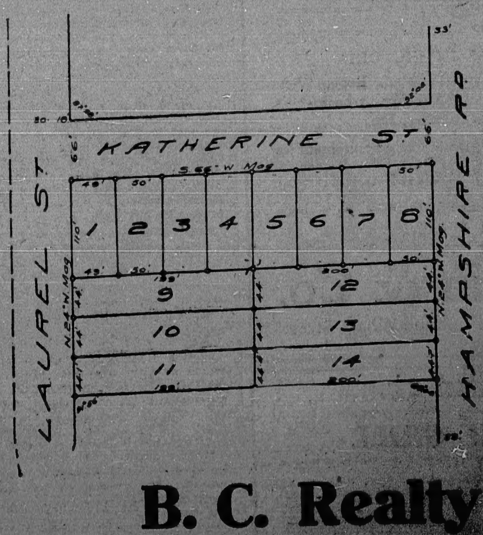

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NEWS OF THE CITY

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Inspect Reservoir Repairs—Yesterday a number of the aldermanic board visited the Smtih's Hill reservoir with a view of inspecting the progress of the work now under way and securing data which will come before the council in the shape of a report. The contractor for the repair work, Mr. Thomas Stedham, has suggested to the council that additional work, not contemplated in the contract awarded him, should be undertaken and the necessity or otherwise of this work will form the subject matter of the report.

Oak Bay Building—The building permits for Oak Bay for the past month testify to the extraordinary growth the municipality continues to make; the total figures read: $30,325 for January, 1912, as against $8,950 for the same month in 1911, or an increase of over 300 per cent. Mr. F. R. de Salis has been appointed assistant to the clerk of the municipality and will begin his new duties from February 1st. This addition to the clerical staff has been rendered necessary by the increasing burden of work devolving on the office of the clerk and the engineer's department.

Rushing Work—The period of splendid weather which has set in has stimulated all those with construction work on hand to great activity, and yesterday full crews were engaged in the many enterprises now underway. The contractors for the big programme of street paving, though they have not recommenced laying concrete are busily hauling material, and should the good weather continue the paving operations will shortly be in full blast in all parts of the city.

Will Move Quickly—Just as soon as the provincial government shall have come to a final decision as to the disposition of the Indian reserve and determined the amount of land which is to be alotted each of the railway companies, the management of the E. & N. will lose no time in going ahead with the long-deferred work of putting in place adequate trackage facilities to provide for its rapidly increasing traffic. Only the business men directly concerned and the company have knowledge of the very great difficulties which are being met with from day to day in handling the business offering and the opening of the reserve will indeed prove a boon to Victoria.

Game Laws of B. C.—The provincial game warden has recently received a memorandum of suggestions as to game law alterations from the Chilliwack Game Protective association, the chief recommendations submitted being that the shooting seasons for pheasants and grouse hereafter be made identical; that duck shooting open on the 15th August and end with December; that the sale of geese, ducks and snipe be prohibited, and that no one be permitted to kill or have in possession more than ten pheasants in any one day. The government is also asked by the association to put some rainbow trout of those received from the Dominion government in Cultus lake.

Verdict of Suicide—The inquest on the body of Frank Laforcade, for years known as "Old Frank," who attempted to end his life early Saturday morning in his room at Harbor Cabins, Store street, by cutting his throat with a razor, was held yesterday afternoon. A verdict of suicide was returned by the jury. The evidence of Dr. Bapty, who performed the post mortem examination, showed that Laforcade had severed his windpipe, but not severely, and after his removal to St. Joseph's hospital appeared to have a chance of recovery. He died Sunday morning; his death resulting from loss of blood and an affected lung consequent upon a quantity of blood passing into the air passages.

Due to Natural Causes—That death was due to natural causes was the verdict rendered yesterday by the coroner's jury which met to complete the hearing of the evidence relative to the death in the police cells on Saturday of Alexander Campbell, seaman, who had been taken in charge while apparently in a helpless and drunken condition. The hearing had been adjourned from the previous day in order that a post mortem examination might be held. Dr. Bapty yesterday morning made the necessary examination and at the afternoon adjourned hearing testified that Campbell's physical condition was such that death would undoubtedly result from an overdose of alcohol. His heart was affected. The fact that the man had spent several hours in the police cells would not to any extent have affected his condition. The police had, in the doctor's opinion, done everything possible to resuscitate the deceased prior to the doctor's arrival.

Victoria Building Society—The twenty-fourth annual general meeting of the Victoria Building society was held last evening in the office of Mr. A. St. George Flint, Trounce avenue. The reports of the directors, auditor and the secretary were duly considered and adopted. It was decided to pay a dividend of $15 a share and it was announced that plans were in preparation for the winding up of the society and that these would be introduced at the semi-annual meeting to be held in July next. With the payment of the dividend mentioned, all the stock will have been handed back, with the exception of $10 per share. The following officers were elected: President, Mr. G. W. Anderson; vice president, Mr. W. Marchant; directors, Messrs. W. H. Cullin, J. L. Smith and J. Woolcock; auditors, Messrs. W. Scowcroft and R. Erskine, the latter to replace the late Mr. Joseph Peirson; secretary, Mr. A. St. George Flint; solicitor, Mr. Thornton Fell, and surveyor, Mr. John Taylor.

Nelson's Commissioners—Police commissioners for Nelson have been appointed as follows: Alderman A. Thomas Walley and Dr. W. Oliver Rose; license commissioners: Alderman Herbert Keefe and Mr. Philip Wade.

Squatting on Reserve—Despite police precautions, the old shacks on the Indian reserve continue to be made the occasional domicile of individuals who apparently have no other habitation. A visitor to the reserve on Sunday reports that he saw a family of Indians using one of the old buildings which were formerly the homes of the members of the Songhees tribe, and another was being utilized by a white man. With the anticipated speedy development of the area for railway purposes these nomads will perforce have to seek new quarters.

Victoria West Social—A very successful social was held on Monday evening at the Victoria West Methodist church under the auspices of the Epworth league, in aid of the piano fund. A very good programme was rendered. Miss Davis' solos were much appreciated as was also Miss Brown's recitation. Mr. A. T. Weight and Miss Wood sang a duet which was well received, while Miss Tait and Miss Stella Brown delighed the audience with an instrumental duet, which was repeated by special request. The museum and candy stand were well patronized. Refreshments were served, and all enjoyed a sociable evening. The league wishes to thank the friends who subscribed towards the piano fund. The amount collected being $104.20.

Lake Hill Institute—The annual meeting of the Lake Hill Women's Institute was held on January 24th. The work of the institute during the past year has been very successful, the financial statement showing a balance of $117.20. Several good papers were read by members at the monthly meeting. The expression was voiced that during the coming year renewed activity and cooperation on the part of the members will make the institute what it is intended to be—a boon to the country woman, and that each meeting will be looked forward to, not only for the pleasure of social intercourse, but as a means whereby we may help each other in the battle of life. Officers for 1912 follow: President, Mrs. S. Tolmie; vice-president, Miss Nicholson; second vice-president, Mrs. Cosier; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. W. Palmer; directors, Mrs. Fooks, Mrs. Butler, Mrs. Service, Mrs. Sister and Mrs. Hick.

Looked for It—Got It—Christopher Nicholas successfully demonstrated the truth of the old maxim that the person who looks for trouble usually succeeds in finding it, when he yesterday afternoon on Yates street came into collision with a fellow countryman, James Petros. Nicholas, it is asserted by Pethros, bothered the latter all day following him about and calling him names. Petros stood the abuse as long as he could, and then proceeded to take violent means to show his wrath. In consequence Nicholas received a split lip which required three stitches besides a blackened optic of such a realistic hue that he was later, on his own consent, used as a subject for discussion at the last evening's class of the police for the study of first aid to the injured. The pair were arrested by Constables Duncan and Mann, and will be arraigned this morning.

Award Contracts for Supplies—Contracts for the supply of the great variety of supplies required by the city for the present year were awarded by the city council last evening when the report of the finance committee was adopted. As the articles cover such a wide range the prices were not set forth, but the contracts will be awarded as follows, the number of tenders received in each case being set forth: Drugs, W. S. Terry, one tender; lumber, The Canadian Puget Sound Lumber company, three tenders; cordwood, Josiah Bull, one tender; groceries, the Windsor Grocery, one tender; bread, Messrs. Rennie & Taylor, three tenders; forage, Thomas Horne, three tenders; Ludlow hydrants, W. G. Winterburne, one tender; Portland cement, R. P. Rithet & company, two tenders; sand and gravel, Producers Rock and Gravel company, two tenders; bricks, The Baker Brick company and Victoria Brick & Tile company, equally, two tenders at equal prices; sewer pipes, The B. C. Pottery company, two tenders; meat, L. Goodacre & Sons, two tenders; rope, Acme Co-Operative Trading company, one tender; Hardware, seven tenders, all alike, and one considerably higher, the former to get the contract equally; Domestic coal, J. E. Painter & company, two tenders; Wash Nut coal, Hall & Walker, one tender; milk, The Island Creamery association, one tender; cast iron goods, Victoria Machinery Depot, one tender. Tenders for the hauling of the sand and gravel will be called for at once. Tenders for the supply of fire hose and firemen's uniforms were opened and referred to the fire wardens.

THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p. m., January 30, 1912:

SYNOPSIS.

The barometer is now abnormally high over the Pacific slope and fair mild weather is general with moderate easterly winds along the coast. Mild weather is also general from the Rockies to Manitoba.

TEMPERATURE.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	44	50
Vancouver	38	52
Kamloops	34	44
Barkerville	26	34
Prince Rupert	38	44
Atlin	4	32
Dawson, Y. T.	6	8
Calgary, Alta.	28	46
Winnipeg, Man.	8 below	18
Portland, Ore.	46	48
San Francisco, Cal.	48	62

TUESDAY.

Highest	50
Lowest	42
Average	46

Bright sunshine, 4 hours.
Rain, .09 inch.

In answer to a correspondent who enquires if Tom Burt of Morpeth is the same as the Right Honorable Thomas Burt, M. P., father of the House of Commons who was recently banquetted in London, England? We may state that Tom Burt, of Morpeth, and the Right Honorable Thomas Burt, is one and the same individual.

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SANTA ANA FLOATED

Alaska Steamship Company's Vessel Which Grounded at Karta Bay on Way South

Without being damaged in the least by her mishap, the steamship Santa Ana, of the Alaska Steamship Company, Capt. Howard Bullene, which went ashore in Karta Bay, Prince of Wales island, was floated by her own power at high tide last Sunday morning. The vessel grounded in the soft sand at 3 o'clock on the morning of January 25, and was not leaking in the least when she steamed into deep water last Sunday morning. Capt. Bullene in a cablegram to his company in Seattle said that he would proceed to the pier at the mine of Rush and Brown to load 700 tons of copper ore for the Tacoma smelter.

The Santa Ana sailed southbound from Seward January 18. Before leaving Prince William Sound the vessel took aboard 400 tons of ore at the Latouche mine. Thirty tons of the ore had been discharged on lighters before the vessel was floated.

SCHOOL EXPENDITURES

Estimates of Amount Required This Year Before Council—Parks' Requirements

The estimates for the year's expenditure for school purposes has been forwarded to the city council. The ordinary expenditure for the year is placed at $202,599, the items of which are as follows: Salaries $147,996, janitors, $10,037, fuel $5,570, board's expenses $1,500, printing and advertising $1,250, furniture $5,921, supplies $5,050, repairs and alterations $18,575, insurance $2,000, miscellaneous $3,000, libarary 1,700. In addition the board is asking for an extraordinary expenditure (to be raised by bylaw) of $108,000 as follows: Completion of Victoria West and Bank street schools $10,750; extension of Bank street school grounds, $14,250; frame building at Central school grounds to relieve Boys' Central school $1,500; school and site on Quadra street extension $55,000; manual training and domestic science building at South Park school $6,000; additional funds required for Oaklands school (now available, $11,484) $18,000; furniture, $2,500.

The estimates of ordinary expenditure will be referred to the finance committee of the council to be considered with the civic estimates but, following the customary course, the estimates of extraordinary expenditure will be refused and the board will be so informed. The board will then request the council to submit the necessary bylaw.

The estimate of expenditures for parks and boulevard upkeep for the year are also before the council. They total $31,630, made up as follows: Beacon Hill park, $21,155; North park, $2,575, $2,600; Mount Douglas, $1,500; Foul Bay, $500; general, $3,500. The amount asked this year for music at the parks is $2,450, of which $1,500 is for Beacon Hill park, $750 for North park and $200 for Gorge park. The estimates contemplate the erection at Beacon Hill park of a pavilion and gymnasium for the supply of light refreshments, etc., to cost $2,500; new green house, $1,000; two public conveniences, $2,500, and electric lighting, $2,500.

The parks' committee also recommend changing the name of "North Ward park" to "North park," and that the "old cemetery" be termed "Pioneer Square."

MINE RESCUE STATION

System to Be Installed at Fernie is Signally Successful One

As an immediate result of the activity of the minister of lands,—representative of the district in the house—coincident with the recent visit of Mayor Bleasdell, Dr. Bonnell and Mr. A. B. Trites of Fernie—Chief Inspector Thomas Graham has left for the Crow's Nest capital with elastic instructions from the government to establish and provide for the maintenance of a thoroughly equipped relief station at Fernie, ready at any moment to undertake rescue work in the event of explosions occuring in the coal mines of the district. The system to be installed is that which has proven signally successfull throughout the mining districts of the United States and also on this isand. The stations are equipped with a device very similar to the familiar marine diver's helmet and supplied with stored oxygen, the use of which enables the rescuer to enter gas zones with comparative impunity, even under conditions instantly fatal otherwise.

"THE BARRIER" ATTRACTS GOOD-SIZED HOUSE

Rex Beach Drama of Alaska in Early Days Well Put on by Capable Company For Second Time Here

A large audience greeted the second performance here of "The Barrier," at the Victoria theatre last evening, and without any doubt they were rewarded by seeing one of the best plays that has visited the west this winter. Melodrama it may be, but it is excellent of its kind, and, moreover, possesses the merit of being exceedingly well staged and well acted throughout. Lovers of Rex Beach, and the booksellers would have people believe they are numerous enough in the West, know the story too well for it to need repetition. Briefly, however, for the benefit of those who have not read the book—a young soldier of the United States army is sent by his government to preserve law and order in a trading post in Alaska. There he meets and falls in love with beautiful Necia Gale, the daughter of John Gale, and as the girl and everyone else imagines, of the squaw Alluna. It is when young Capt. Burrell discovers that his sweetheart is looked upon as a half breed that the struggle begins—the old struggle between the love of a man for a maid on the one hand and traditions and conventions on the other.

Meanwhile for eighteen years Gale has been a man with a price upon his head, for convicted of the crime of killing the woman he loved who had married another, he has managed to evade the law. Nemesis—if the word can be applied in the case of an innocent man, finds him in the shape of the dead woman's husband, Stark, who comes up to Alaska and recognizes him. Worn out by the struggle Gale gives himself up to Burrell, telling him the whole story, the illtreatment by Stark of the woman he had loved and once hoped to win, and how when she lay dead he had rescued her child and taken it away to bring up as his own. Later on Stark arrives with his story, and while he and Burrell are together, the man he has wronged so many years ago enters, and the lights go out on a scene of furious fighting, revolver shots and the like.

Stark falls fatally wounded, and before passing away confesses that he has accused an innocent man, and that Necia is no half breed but his own daughter.

It would be hard to distinguish between the merits of the cast for all took their parts extremely well. Norval McGregor as John Gale, won the sympathy of the audience from the start by his manly straightforward bearing and his treatment of the squaw Alluna, who had borne his children, and served him faithfully for so many years, although she knew that his heart was in his dead sweetheart's grave. Lee Miller as Capt. Burrell; Max Steinle as No Creek Lee; George Cleveland as Poleon and Bryce Howatson, as Stark, were alike excellent, and George Byron handled the repulsive part of Runnion in a sufficiently villainous fashion. Miss Grace Johnson made a charming and girlish Necia, who both looked and acted the part in a most acceptable manner. Too high praise could scarcely be given, however, to Miss Mattie Hyde who, in the role of the squaw Alluna, gave one of the best presentations of an Indian role that has ever been seen on a western stage. In costume, bearing, and everything that is characteristic of the race, she could scarcely have been improved upon, while her unselfish devotion to her squaw man was a beautiful thing. The several minor parts were all well sustained.

NEWS OF THE CITY

Prince Rupert Officials—Police and license commissioners have been named for the city of Prince Rupert, the former board being composed of Messrs. L. Bullock-Webster and James Henry Thompson, and the latter of Messrs. George W. Kerr and John P. Cade, M.D.

Press Gallery's Thanks—One of the specially enjoyable features of the parliamentary press gallery's annual dinner at the parliament grill on Monday evening was the especially superior music furnished by the excellent Westholme orchestra and the vocalism of Miss May Thurston, to whom, as well as to Mr. Turner and his musicians, the members of the gallery wish to extend their cordial thanks.

Locomotive Rules—A deputation representative of the locomotive engineers yesterday waited upon Hon. Mr. Taylor, provincial minister of railways, for the purpose of suggesting certain changes in the provincial rules as to signal, switching and other features of railway operation, so as to bring the British Columbia rules into complete harmony and uniformity with the accepted American code framed by the engineers' international association and generally adopted in American states as well as by Canadian railway board. The matter will obtain immediate attention. Composing the deputation from the Brotherhood were the well known drivers, Robert Mee and Mat Crawford of Vancouver, and George W. Johnson of Cranbrook.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Charles Lester Ferguson and Mary Lutsia McGuire, both of Duncan, were married on Monday afternoon at the Dallas hotel by Rev. T. E. Holling.

Mrs. Robt. Livingstone will receive at her new home, "Gleniffer," 1011 Princess avenue, next Wednesday afternoon the 31st.

Mrs. Robert Livingstone will receive at her new home, "Gleniffer," 101 Princess avenue, this afternoon.

Mrs. Thomas Bickle, 1317 Pandora avenue, will receive this afternoon, the 31st., and the last Wednesday of each month hereafter.

Mrs. E. J. Hearn, of Kingsley, Foul Bay, will not be receiving on Thursday.

Mrs. Charles Geiger of this city, has returned from Vancouver, where she was visiting with Mrs. E. Baker, her aunt, to attend the Masonic ball in that city.

Mrs. Alfred Green, of Cowichan lake, is visiting in the city.

The Gazette of Barrie, Ont., of recent date, records the fact that Mr. R. L. Drury of Victoria was a visitor there on his way to Toronto.

COMING EVENTS

Fifth Regiment Meeting—A meeting of No. 2 Company of the Fifth Regiment will be held next Wednesday evening at 9 p. m., after the regular drill. As important business is to come up for discussion a full attendance is requested.

Horticultural Meeting—The board of directors of the Victoria Horticultural Association will hold a meeting on Friday evening next, February 5th, at Woodward's store on Fort street, to fix the date of the annual meeting of the association.

British Campaigners—The British Campaigners Association will hold their annual meeting tonight at 7:45 in the A. O. F. hall, Broad street. At this meeting the accounts for the past year will be presented and officers for the ensuing year elected. After the meeting a smoking concert will to be held and refreshments served.

Regimental Parade—A regimental parade of the Fifth Regiment C. G. A. has been ordered by Lieut. Col. A. W. Currie at the Drill hall tomorrow night. The three companies of the regiment will parade at 8 p. m., and the annual meeting of the regimental association will take place after the parade. The non-commissioned officers of the regiment will parade in future every Friday night under Lieut Lieut. R. P. Clark.

Will Install Officers—A delegation of lady members of the Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association of Vancouver, will arrive on the afternoon boat on Wednesday, January 31, for the installation of a lodge of that society in this city. The installation will take place at the A. O. F. hall immediately after the arrival of the boat, at 8 p. m. The Royal Black Knights are giving a concert and dance at the same hall in honor of the ladies. The general public is cordially invited.

Florists Association Meet—A meeting of the Florists' Association will be held in Woodward's store, on Fort street, on Thursday evening next at 8 p. m., at which many important points will be discussed bearing on the welfare of the society. As this is the first meeting held for some time, it is hoped that as many members as possible will attend.

Local Option Convention—Beginning on February 1st, a local option convention will be held in Vancouver in the auditorium of the Central Mission, Abbott street. At a public meeting the Rev. Dr. Pidgeon will give an address on "Christian Citizenship," and Dr. Ernest Hall will also speak. On February 2nd, the routine business of the convention will be taken in the morning, followed by a discussion on "The Situation in British Columbia," and an address on "Temperance Responsi[illegible] in Sunday Schools," by the Rev. C. W. Whittaker. In the afternoon more internal business will be dealt with and then Dr. Sawyer will speak on "Local Option in the Maritime Provinces," and Mr. F. S. Spence on "Local Option in Ontario." In the evening addresses will be delivered by the Rev. W. Stevenson, Prof. Gifford and the Rev. D. Spencer.

MEETS SUDDEN END

Duncan McLean Expires Suddenly in Store Street Premises

Lying on the floor of the Light House saloon, corner of Cormorant and Store streets, the body of Duncan McLean, aged 32, was found yesterday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Life was extinct and from cursory examination made by the doctor called it is believed that he died of heart failure. The police were notified and the body taken to the undertaking rooms of Messrs. Hanna & Thomson, Pandora avenue.

McLean called at the saloon about 8 o'clock yesterday morning and asked the bartender for a drink. He was refused his request and after standing about for a short time went to the rear of the barroom. No further notice was taken of him and it was not until two hours later that he was found.

McLean had for some time been drinking heavily. At one time he was a shoe salesman in a local retail boot and shoe store. He has no relatives residing here but two sisters are residing in Vancouver. An inquest will be held held this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

CITY ASKED TO PAY

Medical Health Officer Brings Peculiar Situation to Council's Attention

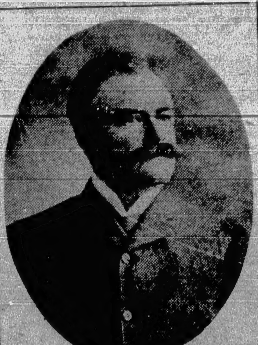
Claiming that the city has been called upon to pay the cost of the care of a woman who was given treatment at the Royal Jubilee hospital when she has been making monthly payments to a concern which in return has guaranteed to give its subscribers medical care and attention in case of illness, Medical Health Officer, Dr. G. A. B. Hall has referred the claim of the hospital for payment, to the city council which in turn has passed it along to the city solicitor. It is likely that unless the concern to which the woman has been making payments consents to pay the charges and the city is forced to pay the city will take action to recover.

Dr. Hall stated in his communication that the woman had been unable to pay for her nursing and medical attendance and the account had been charged to the city. He further stated that he had been informed that the company which had been taking the monthly payments from the woman has refused to admit the patient's claim against them.

CAPT. WALBRAN TALKS ON RULE OF ROAD

Interesting Marine Lecture Delivered Last Night—Reference to Collision Cases

Capt. J. T. Walbran, the lecturer of the marine and fisheries department, delivered an interesting address last night on the Rules of the Road at Sea. Capt. Walbran explained, with the assistance of diagrams, the rules governing the navigation of vessels at sea, and interspersed many instances of collision cases, notably that recently between H. M. S. Hawke and the big White Star Olympic in which it was held that the suction brought the two vessels together. Capt. Walbran exhibited an interesting sextant, the next one in number to that which was on the ship Erebus of the illl-fated Franklin polar expedition and gave a talk on the use and parts of the sextant. Some remarks were also made on the manner in which latitude and longitude was found at sea, the lecturer going into the history of the discoveries made in this connection. The next lecture will take place in the room on the third floor of the postoffice building on Friday night.



HON. J. D. HAZEN

Minister of Marine and Fisheries who leaves shortly for London to consult with the Admiralty on Canada's Naval Policy.

RAINBOW FOR COMOX

After completing the work of recalibrating her armament, the cruiser Rainbow, Commander Hose, has proceeded to Comox to carry out her annual battle practice at the ranges near there. On her way the Rainbow will visit Ganges harbor on Salt Spring island, Cowichan, Ladysmith and Nanaimo.

OBITUARY NOTICES

Frizzell—The funeral of the late Mrs. Catherine Frizzell, who died on Sunday, will take place this afternoon at 2.30 from Hanna & Thomson's parlors, where service will be held. The deceased leaves four daughters and one son, as follows: Mrs. J. G. McKay, Manchester road; Mrs. Miller, Rose street; Mrs. McIntosh, South Turner street; Mrs. Woolridge, Ontario province, and Rev. Dr. J. W. Frizzell, Washington, D. C.

West—The funeral of the late Mrs. Diana West took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the B. C. Funeral parlors, Rev. T. W. Gladstone officiating. There was a large attendance of friends of the deceased and many beautiful flowers covered the bier. The pallbearers were: Messrs. A. F. Bannerman, F. Bordon, A. Strachan, J. Nicholson, D. McLennan and W. Fooks.

Births, Marriages, Deaths

DIED

FRIZZELL—The death occurred in New Westminster on Sunday, of Catherine Frizzell, aged 76 years. The deceased was the widow of the late Robert Frizzell, and was the mother of Mrs. J. G. McKay, of 641 Manchester road, Victoria; Mrs. W. R. McIntosh, South Turner street; Mrs. Geo. Miller, Rose street; Mr. Ed. Woolridge, Sault Ste Marie; Rev. J. W. Frizzell, one son, Victoria, B. C.

The remains were brought over to the city last evening, and the funeral will take place on Wednesday at 2:30 p. m., Rev. J. A. Wood officiating.

SCAFOROADE—Jan. 28, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Victoria, B. C., Frank Scaforcade, native of France, aged 84 years. Funeral Wednesday at 8:45 a. m., from the Victoria Undertaking Parlors and St. Andrew's Cathedral.

MAYNARD—On the 28th inst., at thefamily residence, 1222 Pandora Avenue, Arthur Henry, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. James Maynard, aged 17 years, 6 months. Born in Victoria, B. C.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday at 2.30 from the residence, and 3 p.m. at the Metropolitan Methodist Church, Pandora Avenue. Interment in Ross Bay Cemetery. Friends please accept this intimation.

GREENWOOD—At New Westminster, on January 28th, Catherine Greenwood, age 48 years, widow of the late Captain John Greenwood.

She leaves to mourn her loss one daughter, Mrs. D. H. John, of 948 Queen's avenue, city.

The funeral will take place from the above residence at 2 o'clock on Friday. Rev. Mr. Clay will officiate. Interment at Ross Bay cemetery.

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Dr. Schneider shows that it is possible to introduce into the work of the most mechanical of operatives an element of interest which will not only relieve the tension of the nerves of the workers but increase their efficiency. He says:

"It should be noted that where the work is done under conditions which permit the operatives to talk without interference to their work, the rating is much higher than where such is not the case. When we walk our habit cells control the action, but we can walk and think at the same time. The same principle holds in automatic occupations. If the motions are not too rhythmic, both of hand and machine, and conversation is permitted and encouraged, the work is not nearly so repressive.

"In a certain mill employing girls at strictly automatic work the employees were placed facing one way, so that one operative looked upon the back of another; between adjacent operatives was a small partition. This mill had to replenish its entire force each year, until the scheme was changed to a round-table plan which encouraged conversation. After this the losses were normal.

"An interesting case of shop phychology is the following: In a certain piano factory a number of girls were employed to assemble the mechanism which transmits the action to the strings when the key is struck. Each girl attached a piece with a limited number of motions and were paid on the piece-work plan. These employees were the most discontented in the firm, and were contantly shifting to other occupations. Various means, such as rest-rooms and decorated surroundings, were tried without success.

"As a last resort the foreman got a fine big Maltese cat and placed it in the room one morning before the girls arrived. This solved the trouble completely. The cat compelled rest periods, for every now and then it would jump into a girl's lap and take her attention from her work for a few moments. In this way the tension of the high speed wes relieved, permitting the elimination of fatigue poisons at irregular but sufficent intervals. Every girl planned at home to bring something in her lunch basket for the cat to eat, whereas attempts to get them interested in the decorating of rooms failed. When girls left this firm and went elsewhere, where there was no cat, they quickly returned. Production increased and peace reigned. The commercializing of a woman's home instinct for a cat probably energized the work 10 per cent.

"It was found also that the introduction of the cat began to arouse an interest in the other betterment plans which had originally failed. This particular case is worthy of a very careful psychological analysis."

We hear much of the drudgery of the occupation of the housewife. In comparison with such work as is here described, it is full of variety. Perhaps the extracts given above will give some hint of the necessity of varying such tasks as are in their nature, monotonous.

Independence?

A great deal is said these days by women about the merits of independence. Young girls are encouraged to fit themselves to earn their own livelihood. The consequence is that the great majority leave home when their school days are over, whether there is any financial need for their earnings or not. Some are so impatient for independence that they will not even acquire the education which they are, by their father's means and position, entitled. Others, having, perhaps, taken a university course, enter one of the professions and leave home for good. Is there not in all this a loss? Why should young women sacrifice the opportunity for self-development which means and leisure give in order that they may earn money in the labor market? Is it right that fathers and mothers, sisters and brothers shall be deprived of the love, the sympathy, the hundred gentle services of happy girlhood, that one more may be added to the ranks of women's toilers. No one, least of all, a woman, would depreciate either the services of women or the self-sacrifice of those who earn their living. In every community there are thousands of girls who not only support themselves but help to support other members of their families. To do this they must deny themselves not only pleasures and luxuries, but often comforts, if not necessaries. Many of these are excellent workwomen, filling their places with satisfaction to themselves and to their employers. As teachers, nurses, social workers, they serve their fellow men and often give of themselves far beyond the value of the money they receive. But when all this is said, it yet remains true that it is the exceptional girl, who while she works the allotted hours at her daily tasks, has the strength and time for self-improvement or can cultivate that inner life which blossoms into gentle words and kindly deeds.

The old family life where in the homes of the poor as well as of the rich the daughters divided among them the household tasks has gone where there is a necessity of all members of the family to contribute to the general income. The daughters of the laborers and many mechanics must leave their homes to find work. They have no choice. But when the father can support his daughter in comfort and provide for her future if necessary, is there not a loss in her leaving home? Are we to deprive ourselves of the beauties and graces of a higher civilization that we may put money in the bank? Are there not in the study of literature, of music and art, in the enjoyment of wholesome pleasures, and above all, in the service of those dear to her better things for the girl than in the rewards to be gained by working for wages? There will always be women as well as men who have genius, who cannot hide their light and should not. To such the way of service is pointed out and they cannot refuse to walk in it, even if they would.

But the girl should be sure of such a call who leaves a home where a loving father is ready to provide for her, in order to make what is called an independent living. There are great opportunities for service for the girls who stay at home. By all means let the daughters be prepared to earn, in case of need, their own living. That is necessary in a world of change. But, being prepared, let her not feel that she must leave home in order to be independent.

WHAT THE WORLD'S PRESS IS SAYING

To Be in Earnest

No less in public than in private work success depends in large measure upon how much the worker is determined to succeed. To be in earnest, to put his heart into the work, to call into exercise all the power at his command is to make success almost certain for the man who is fitted by nature for the thing he tries to do. Whether for yourself or for the general welfare—"Whatsoever thy hands find to do, do it with thy might."—Denver Republican.

Parents and Children

The street at night is no place for children. They are subject there to hideous perils and grave menaces to health and morals. In fact, no parent is justified in permitting his young children out of the house at night unless he knows—not thinks he knows, but knows—where they are. The arrest of a parent or two might go farther toward solving this problem of city life than the arrest of a swarm of youngsters.—Duluth Herald.

Canadian Humor

It may be that all this rushing to and fro had nothing to do with the decline of Canadian humor, but we venture the assertion that were Sam Slick himself to return and try to tell one of his best jokes to a friend engaged in steering his motor through the crowd at King and Yonge without killing too many people, Sam's friend would have difficulty in discovering the stage of the narrative at which the laugh should come in.—Toronto Globe.

The Equals of Men

Twenty-seven girl students of Wooster University, Ohio, are on probation and denied all social privileges for the term for hazing fellow students by dousing them with cold water. Women other than the suffragettes are showing they are the equals of men in many ways, but some of the methods they employ to prove their equality do not indicate that the world will be governed any better than it is now when they share in the government.—Montreal Gazette.

London—and Chicago

With a population of 7,000,000, London has but nineteen cases of murder during the past year, according to the report of Hon. Charles A. de Courcy, chairman of the committee on criminal law, American Prison Association. Five of the murderers committed suicide and four were never apprehended. The others were either convicted and executed or committed to the insane asylum. Chicago with a much smaller population makes a very much different showing. It had 200 homicides. Only one of the offenders was hanged, fifteen were sent to the penitentiary, and the others were exonerated by the grand jury, acquitted, discharged, or otherwise set free.—Hamilton Times.

A petition is being numerously signed at Mission asking the government to arrange for the electric lighting of the town.

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Vancouver	2	3	33	35

VANCOUVER, Jan. 30.—Coming up with a rush in the closing period, and running in four goals in a row, the New Westminster hockey septette grabbed another game from Victoria at the arena tonight and clinched its hold on first place in the championship race. It does not necessarily mean that the Royals have the championship won, but they have a comfortable lead for a while at least, and at the rate they are improving it will take some whirlwind playing on the part of the other teams to relegate them to the second or third position.

On the whole evening's play the better team won. Those dogged and aggressive tactics of the Royals which are characteristic of teams that represent New Westminster triumphed over the smooth combination work of the Islanders. Victoria excelled in what really could be classed as the scientific side of the game ,but when it came down to close and hard checking and speed the Royals had the edge, and that was what carried them to victory. Victoria set the pace at the start, but Jimmy Gardner's men fell right in line, played right back at them and maintained the clip until the finish. The New Westminster defence was good, because the forwards came back and helped McLean and Johnson out when the Capitals attacked, while on the other hand the Victoria line was slow in covering up, and the brunt of the work fell on Lester Patrick and Smaill. And the pace got so fast for them in the last period that they did well to hold the score down to respectable figures.

All three periods were replete with fast hockey, with all its interesting features. Many off-sides necessitated delays that slowed the play up in the opening period, but it was nip and tuck with both teams, and both goal keepers were called upon to stop shots from all angles, while the forwards were going at top speed. There was no score in the first twenty minutes but the players speeded up more after the interval and play became intensely interesting.

New Westminster had the advantage of having a week's rest, and the players showed the benefit of it by going out and maintaining a remarkable pace throughout. Every man on the Royal City team played in improved form. McLean, whose past performances were only mediocre, was one of the most conspicuous players on the ice. His all-round work was one of the features. McDonald is another one who came through tonight. He has been playing irgh twing, but went back to rover last night and played the position to a nicety. As a rule it takes him a couple of strides to get started, but he uncorked as much speed as anyone in the game. His checking and passing could n tohave been improved on. Harry Hyland played his best game of the season, while Ken Mallen was in great form. He is a speedy man on skates, and had it all over Donald Smith in centre ice. He scored two of the goals by well directed shots. Manager Jimmy Gardner was as effective as ever. The veteran checked up more than any other player and he had Poulin beaten all the day.

Johnson was as much in the limelight as ever and electrified the crowd with his brilliant rushes, while he saved his goal a number of times by intercepting passes and returning the play to the other end. Johnson carried the puck down and passed to Mallen for New Westminster's first goal, but his best effort came in the final period, when he got the puck in centre ice and carried it through, taking a shot. Lindsay stopped the puck and dropped it but Johnson kept on going and swept it into the net. It was the goal that started the Westminster scoring in this period. He followed this up with another great play when he intercepted the puck and went down alone again. Smaill made a determined effort to catch him and it was an exciting race. Smaill finally throwing his stick at the puck, but Johnson carried it through and shot. Lindsay came out of his goal and the puck glanced off him to the side and Johnson's rush counted for naught, although it was the most thrilling piece of play pulled off. Lehman made his usual number of brilliant saves, and proved a wonder in the net.

It is hard to beat Lester Patrick. He was the bright spot in the Victoria team, and when he was not defending his own goal he was carrying the puck down towards the Westminster end. He was good, but the odds were too big for him to overcome. Lindsay, in goal, stopped a number of seemingly sure goals, but they came too fast for him in the last twenty minutes. Smaill was handicapped with a bad knee, but with that did his share of the work and did it well. Dunderdale was the best of the scoring division but Smith and Rowe were off color. Poulin was good in the first two periods, but Gardner kept him checked up too closely to enable him to shine.

Goal summary: First period: No score. Second period: No. 1, Victoria, Dunderdale, 2:41. No. 2, Westminster, Mallen, 14:03. Third period: No. 3, Westminster, Johnson, 0:14; No. 4, Westminster, Hyland, 2:31. No. 5, Westminster, Mallen, 4:18. No. 6, Westminster, Hyland, 54 seconds. No. 7, Victoria, Dunderdale, 27 seconds.

Penalties: First period, Hyland, 3 minutes; McLean, 3 minutes; Smaill, 3 minutes; Rowe, 3 minutes; Hyland, 2 minutes. Second period: Poulin, 3 minutes; Johnson, 3 minutes; McLean, 3 minutes. Third period: Mallen, 2 minutes; Gardner, 2 minutes; Patrick, 3 minutes; Smaill, 2 minutes; Rowe, 3 minutes; McDonald, 3 minutes.

Total penalties: Westminster, 21 minutes; Victoria, 18 minutes.

The teams:

Westminster.	Position.	Victoria.
Lahman	Goal	Lindsay
McLean	Point	Patrick
Johnson	Cover Point	Smaill
McDonald	Rover	Dunderdale
Mallen	Centre	Smith
Hyland	Right Wing	Poulin
Gardner	Left Wing	Rowe

Officials—Referee, "Newsy" Lalonde; judge of play, Si Griffis.

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KNOCKOUT IN FIFTEENTH ROUND

Bayley Scores Grand Victory in the Longest Battle of His Career Over Decoursey—Terrific Right Ends Battle

SASKATOON, Sask., Jan. 30—In the fifteenth round bout in this city to decide who should bear the title of champion of Western Canada, Joe Bayley, of Victoria, B. C., more than showed that he was the rightful claiman by administering to Billy Decoursey, of Saskatoon, veteran, the worst beating he has yet received, and knocked him out in the final round. From the first round to the fifteenth Decoursey was not in the fight at all. His year of ring experience availed him nothing against the youngster from the Pacific slope. Bayley sailed into him from the start and pounded him at will He knocked Decoursey down several times and seemed able to reach his antagonist whenever he led. Those who knew Decoursey thought the local man was playing his old game of waiting, but after the latter half of the fight it was apparent that he was outclassed tremendously. At times he showed his old brilliancy, but it was only in flashes. The Victoria boy was equally as clever on defence work as he was on the aggressive and he pummeled Decoursey's face, head and neck until he was bleeding and helplessly groggy. After the tenth round Decoursey was distinctly groggy, and the crowd yelled for Bayley to go in and finish him. The stamina which Decoursey had been noted for stood him in good stead and Bayley could not floor him for the count until the fifteenth and last round Bayley put him down with a terrific right to the stomach and the referee picked him up and carried him to his corner without counting him out.

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The Harpagus, a freighter of 3,672 net tons, is now engaged in carrying coal from the Atlantic to the Puget Sound navy yard for the United States government. She is out 51 days today on the voyage from Norfolk to Bremerton. She will be ready for loading at this port early in March, or possibly by the last of February.

Another liner chartered for this service is the British steamer Cape Breton, which is expected here about February 5. The steamer has been in port here before. She was last reported at Kushiro, and will come to the Sound from that port. She will load a full cargo of cotton.

The care for the large amount of Oriental freight offering during the past few months, Dodwell & Co., found it necessary to charter a number of extra steamers.

NEW ISLAND SCHEDULE DRAWN

Provides Shorter Soccer Season—City League Given an Open Date Committee to Investigate P. O. Delivery

Saturday's Soccer

Garrison vs. Y. M. C. A., Work Point grounds, Referee Locke.

Sons of England vs. J. B. A. A. at North Ward park, Referee Allen.

Victoria West vs. Foresters at Beacon Hill, Referee W. Lorimer.

With the schedule rearranged and an open date left on February 24, in compliance with a request received from the city league, the Vancouver Island Soccer League (southern section) of this city will set forth in earnest on Saturday next. At a well attended meeting last night, the schedule was adopted as presented by Mr. W. Lorimer, and as President Lockley was feeling poorly, the business of the evening was done up with dispatch.

A peculiar circumstance has arisen in the case of Douglas, who as a player of the Sons of England team signed a Victoria West contract, and then turned around with the intention of returning to his old friends. Well, after much trouble to the league, Douglas will return to the Sons of England.

At the time when Douglas thought that he should have stayed with the Sons it was agreed by the delegates that if he applied in writing to the Wests he should be duly turned over. Now two Sons of England delegates proved at the meeting last evening that a letter had been sent by Douglas and exhibited a registered letter receipt, which contained the name of Mr. J. Youson, delegate of the Victoria West team, to whom the registered communication was addressed. Mr. Youson stated that he had never received either of two communications, which the Sons' delegates declared were sent. The epistle in question was mailed in the post last Thursday, and had not reached its destination in Victoria West up until last night.

Will Investigate

Now it lies with the Victoria post office department to prove where that letter went to. The sender, Mr. Fletcher, of the Sons, has the receipt and the nonappearance of the same caused no end of trouble at the meeting last night. President Lockley believed that the matter should be threshed out and appointed Messrs. Fletcher, Baines and Secretary Smith to look into the matter with the postal officials.

Secretary Beaney's application for an open date in February for a Native Sons old country game for the benefit of the city league was unanimously accepted, and the date mentioned arranged.

William Erickson, a former Victoria West player, was granted his application to appear with the Y. M. C. A. team.

The revised schedule follows, which with the withdrawal of the North Ward team allows a much shorter arrangement: (Omitting Saturday, February 3) February 10, J. B. A. A. vs. Y. M. C. A.; S. O. E. vs. V. W. A. A.; A. O. F. vs. Garrison; February 17, A. O. F. vs. J. B. A. A.; Garrison vs. V. W. A. A.; Y. M. C. A. vs. S. O. E.; March 2, J. B. A. A. vs. V. W. A. A.; S. O. E. vs. Garrison; A. O. F. vs. Y. M. C. A.; March 9, A. O. F. vs. S. O. E.; J. B. A. A. vs. Garrison, Y. M. C. A. vs. V. W. A. A.; March 16, Y. M. C. A. vs. Garrison, J. B. A. A. vs. S. O. E., V. W. A. A. vs. A. O. F.; March 23, Y. M. C. A. vs. J. B. A. A., V. W. A. A. vs. S. O. E., Garrison vs. A. O. F.; March 30, J. B. A. A. vs. A. O. F.; V. W. A. A. vs. Garrison; S. O. E. vs. Y. M. C. A.; April 6, V. W. A. A. vs. J. B. A. A.; Garrison vs. S. O. E.; Y. M. C. A. vs. A. O. F.; April 13, A. O. F. vs. S. O. E.

The Forester team for Saturday follows: Goal, Harvey; full backs, Saul, Nixon; half backs, Patterson, Kelsall, Potter; forwards, Rudd, Stafford, Bartholomew, centre; Inglis and Doig. Reserves, Hobson, Taylor, Stevenson and Gould. The lodgemen expect to give a ripping good account of themselves against Victoria West Saturday.

The Y. M. C. A. boys will hold an important meeting tonight to select a team for Saturday. It will be in the interests of the club that every member be present.

AT HALF TIME

The Capital basketball team won a fast game from the Chemainus boys last Saturday by a score of 26 points to 19. The local lads spent a most enjoyable time up the line and are loud in praise of the profuse hospitality that was extended to them by the Chemainus team. Chemainus is a first class sport town, brim full of good live sportsmen.

No one can deny the efficient way the committee of the Capital ball, held Monday night, handled their first big event in the Alexandra club. It reflected much credit upon them all and Ray Bray, the hustling floorman, was one of the most obliging young men in the building. The "Commodore" is at home when it comes to arranging anything of this kind.

Bayley has fought his first 15-round fight and not wishing to break his record, finished D'Coursey by the usual K. O. route. This has been his eleventh knock-out in 11 fights since entering the professional ring about a year ago.

Christy Mathewson has a plan to give good pitchers on poor clubs their real rating in the percentage figures. This is the plan: Subtract the team's percentage for games won and lost from the pitcher's percentage. Which will show how much better the pitcher was than his team. For instance, Rube Marquard won 24 games and lost 7 games last season, and the Giants won 99 games and lost 74. Marquard's percentage was .774, the Giants .614. Marquard pitched 160 per cent above his team. Matty would add the .160 to —Rube's percentage.

Bayley should accept no other than Billy Allen for his next fight. Potts has beaten around the bush too much for the local lad to wait any longer for him.

There was a $500 purse in the Bayley-D'Coursey bout. Bayley was backed heavily by Saskatoon fans and ruled favorite.

It is announced that Newcastle United and the Casuals soccer teams will tour America this year. Mr. Fred Davis is paving the way for the Newcastles and Mr. Parker is looking after the interests of the Casuals, the two gentlemen having already arrived in New York City.

Tommy Connelly, the American League arbitrator, and chairman of the league's rules committee, is to establish a school for umpires at his home town, Natick, Mass.

The Australians have now held the Davis international lawn tennis cup for six years, and every year, with the exception of 1910, they were called upon to defend it, and did so successfully. When the Australians go in for a sport they seem to go all the way. Tennis is not the only one. Look at cricket and sculling, for instance. It is always wise nowadays to remember that there is another side to the world. Without Australia things sometimes might be flat.

The D'Coursey battle has likely been the hardest of all in the short and eventful career of the local lightweight. Joe's longest fight prior to this was with Maxwell at Ladysmith when he put "Maxy" out in the eleventh round. It goes to show though, however, that Joe is good for a 20-round battle as well as the next one. Now he has the chance of his life to meet Billy Allen for the Flanagan belt of Canada.

It can be depended upon that the Eastern Canadian will give the local lad his best fight, as Allen is a good man with more experience than Joe has had. But nevertheless Bayley can win from Allen, although a knock-out does not seem probable. Still he has done so many surprising things of late, there is no telling what Allen will be greeted with. If arrangements made before the bout materialize, Bayley will meet Allen in Saskatoon. Otherwise, there will be no more fighting for Bayley, unless something that looks like money comes along, for a few weeks or so, at least.

MAINLANDERS HERE ON FRIDAY NIGHT

Westminster and Vancouver Hockey Teams, the Principals in This Week's Game at the Arena

Victoria hockey fans up-to-date have had more than one occasion to witness the playing of the local septette with both the Mainland teams, and it is needless to say that the true spirit of this great game is being gradually engrafted into the hearts of the enthusiasts until now hockey is a main subject of conversation several days before a game and for many days after one. But there are few in this city who have had the opportunity of seeing the Royals and Terminals fighting it out together, as they will do at the Arena on Friday night next. It is hardly necessary to comment upon the playing abilities of the New Westminster aggregation of puck chasers, for they have shown their real form on more than one occasion in this city as well as in Vancouver. There are those who are inclined to think that the Vancouver team are not in a class with the Royals and Capitals, but probably before many weeks have passed this opinion will be changed. True, Vancouver has not showed up in as good form as the other teams, but the season is young yet and they are coming along not very far behind at that. The fact that there are such stars on the team as Tommy Phillips and Si Griffiths is alone sufficient to suppose that the Vancouver team will yet make it interesting for the other septettes in the Coast league.

Although Vancouver was defeated by Westminster in their last game at Vancouver, it was the opinion of many that the best team lost, as is often the case, and when these fourteen players who have made a name in the East line up at the Arena on Friday night, a battle royal, with plenty of excitement, should ensue. Naturally there will not be the enthusiasm wrought as on the nights when the home team is on the ice, but notwithstanding, the horns and cow-bells will surely find more than one occasion to become useful. The game will mean much to Victorians who are interested in the outcome of the league, for it will certainly either advance or cut down the standing of the locals. The seat sale opened on Monday morning.

Bowling Results.

The barbers of Yates street played a challenge game last evening at the Brunswick alleys. Jack Wilson and Ernie Rice played against Bert Fowler and Len Oliver. While no records were broken for an exhibition game, it was exciting. The score follows:

	1	2	3	Tot.
Jack Wilson	107	109	87	303
Ernie Rice	95	69	86	250
Bert Fowler	69	84	108	261
Len Oliver	78	91	78	247

No Danger from Meningitis.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 30.—There is no need for Connie Mack to worry about any of his players falling victims to meningitis when he takes his champion baseball team to San Antonio next spring for practice, according to a telegram received today from Jack Combs, one of his star pitchers. Coombs, who is spending the winter in Palestine, Tex., in his telegram said: "Do not think the meningitis scare should cause any worry. Confined to localities around Dallas to a great extent. No cases in San Antonio. Few cases reported at Houston, mostly children."

Denmark's trade union membership at the end of 1910 was 131,563.

Hotel, coffee house, and restaurant employees in Servia must not be kept on duty more than twelve hours during the day or ten hours at night.

National League Contracts.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—President Lynch of the National league today announced approval of the following contracts: With Chicago: John Agler, Earl Richter, Lawrence Cheney, Ward Miller, Wilbur Good, William E. Bransfield, Edward M. Reulbach, Thomas J. Needham, Harry E. Chapman, Leo R. Desden, George F. Graham, James Nagle, David S. Shean. With Philadelphia: George H. Paskert, 1912-13-14; G. H. Alexander, 1912-13-14; F. W. Luders, 1912-13-14; George Chalmers, Fred T. Beck, Ben F. Hunt, J. P. Moran.

A state-wide campaign for a woman's eight-hour day has been started by the Colorado State Federation of Labor.

A Bowling Challenge.

The members of the Brunswick Barber Shop's Bowling team challenges any other four-team organization of the same trade for a match, best two games out of three, on the new Brunswick alleys. All communications can be sent to Mr. B. Towler, 711 Yates street.

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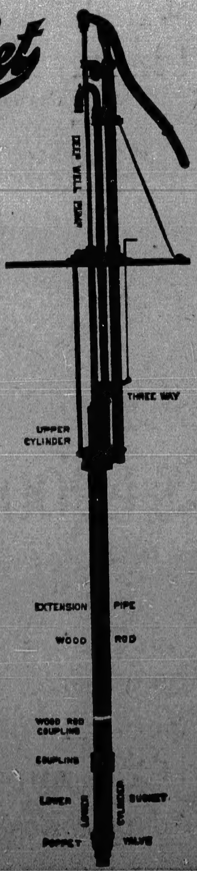

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AMUSEMENTS

Victoria Theatre

Jan. 31.—Victoria Choral Society.
Feb. 5.—Arion Club Concert.
Feb. 6.—Rose Melville in "Sis Hopkins."
Feb. 7.—Boy Scouts in "The Cruise of The Bilge-Bucket."
Feb. 9.—Victoria A. D. C. in "Lady Huntworth's Experiment."
Feb. 12.—Ladies' Musical Club Concert.
Feb. 14.—"The Rosary."

The Empress Theatre—There is a treat for baseball fans at the Empress theatre this week when the Baseball Four, including George Crable, pitcher of the Brooklyn National league, William Gleason, third baseman of Dallas, Texas league, George Robinson, left field of San Antonio, Texas league, and Thomas Dillon, shortstop of Macon, Georgia league, are seen in a realistic sketch interspersed with musical numbers, entitled "Twenty Minutes in the Club House." They sing some good quartettes, and give a good baseball dialogue. Some of the stories of the ball parks told are laughable indeed. The act finishes with a burlesque game with a slide for home via the aisles. Harry von Fessen, the minstrel man, makes his audience laugh; it is hard to stop laughing when he is telling his droll stories. He sings some good parodies and merits the several encores he is called for at every performance. Princess Luba Miroff gives a novelty act, consisting of singing and Russian dancing and also plays the xylophone and mandolin. She won much applause. The Princess was formerly a member of Lew Field's "Henpecks" company. Kitty Ross, a comedienne, offers some good songs, and Cadieux, the wire walker, does some remarkable feats on the wire. With a long balancing pole in his hands, he skips and runs along the wire, and thrills the audience with back somersaults. Not the least interesting of his feats is the balancing of a chair on its two back legs on the wire while he climbs up on it. The motion pictures are good, notably the series showing some views along the Danube.

Alice Floyd's Coming—While many prominent, legitimate actors make decided hits on the vaudeville stage, it is seldom that a famous vaudeville headliner is successful in the leading role of a play, dramatic or musical. Harry Lauder, Albert Chevallier and Alice Lloyd are unquestionably three of the greatest box office record breakers as well as the most remarkable artists that have come to this country from the music halls of London. Of the three, Lauder has never attempted anything outside his repertoire of songs, most of which he sings year after year. Chevallier assumed the leading role of a splendidly cast and elaborately mounted drama last season, but it was a failure. It remained for dainty little Alice Lloyd to do what one of her fellow players didn't want to do and the other couldn't do, when she stepped into the title role of "Little Miss Fix-It' in almost the record-breaking time of twenty seconds in which she makes her changes from one bewilderingly beautiful gown into another, and by so doing achieved a tremendous success in a part that Eva Tanguay, whom Miss Lloyd followed in the role, acknowledged was too much for her. "Little Miss Fix-It" comes to the Victoria theatre March 4th and our theatre-goers will then have an opportunity to see Miss Lloyd in the double capacity of musical comedy star and vaudeville artist.

John McCormack—John McCormack, the young Irish tenor, has been greatly helped in his almost dazzling advancement by the fact that he is so admirably served by a marvelous memory. He has found it quite an easy task to learn an entire opera in three or four days, and has done this lately with the Contes d'Hoffmann in which he is shortly to appear. And it must be remembered that one of the peculiarities of his system of study is that he learns every part in the opera as well as his own. In this way he can more truly assimilate the inward spirit and dramatic continuity of the music than by mastering it in patches as is the usual system. Mr. McCormack's splendid memory is also in a large measure responsible for his easy mastery of foreign languages, especially the Italian and French, which he speaks with fluency and perfect accent. The ease of his Italian speech, the quality of his voice and his whole appearance are so consistent with Italian birth that it is little wonder that Hario's daughter confessed that he filled her with memories of her father.

Majestic Theatre—"A Terrible Discovery" is the title of a very strong Biograph picture to be shown today and tomorrow. Taunted by the gang over his brother's conviction by the District attorney, a young man swears to make the attorney suffer. His plan is a novel one, which might have succeeded but for the daring of the lawyer's son. This subject is not only a thrilling production, but is also most logical. "The Story of the Indian Ledge," showing how an Indian was restored to life after being buried for centuries and how his amazement at the present day conditions finally turned him to stone. So that he became part of the rocky ledge. A unique idea in pictures. Other features: "A Timely Lesson," "Her Pet," and "Taking His Medicine." •

Crystal Theatre — The "Vitagraph Monthly" is the big feature for Wednesday and Thursday. You have seen the "Pathe Weekly" the "Gaumont Graphic" and other films of topical events, and now we have the "Vitagraph Monthly" of current events. The subjects that this covers are too numerous to mention for lack of space. This company never does things by halves and it will be a treat to see this excellent film. "The Vein of Gold" is an Essanay western; "The Greater Love" an Edison drama, the dramatic heights reached in this picture have probably never been surpassed in a silent drama and the audience will watch with almost breathless interest the transposition from one scene to another. "Who Owns the Baby" is a Lubin comedy and is the story of a baby left on a press agent's doorstep and how it was the means of bringing crowds to a practically deserted theatre. You will like it. Amateurs tonight with the following taking part. Mr. Hayhurst, Miss Thelma Cavin, Miss Eva Christy, Miss Regina Wyxstock, Baby Adalain, Miss Nelson. This is going to be one of those good programmes judging from the rehearsals. First show promptly at 6.30. •

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The British bark Potalloch, which has loaded a large cargo of lumber at the Canadian-Puget Sound Lumber company's mills in the upper harbor has cleared and will tow to sea today on her way to the Antipodes. The Poltallech loaded 1,700,000 feet and with the 500,000 feet loaded as stiffening in California she will have a cargo of 2,000,000 feet when she leaves today. The big four-master is taking half a million feet more than the Elginshire took from the same mills.

ADVERTISING READERS

The United Society of Boilermakers and Iron Shipbuilders of Great Britain reports a membership of nearly sixty thousand, the monthly increase being now somewhere between four hundred and five hundred.

Rummage Sale—The annual rummage sale in aid of the Anti-Tuberculosis society will shortly be held. Please keep and ask your friends to keep, all the old and discarded things you can collect. Nothing is too old! Everything is acceptable! Broken chairs, tables, old pans, kettles, etc., old clothes of all kinds, specially old boots and shoes, old carpets, curtains, millinery, flowers and feathers, old toys, ornaments, books and pictures. Old firearms, fenders, saucepans. In short any articles of household utility or otherwise that you have no further use for, keep them for the rummage sale. The society will collect them. Due notice of the date of sale will be given later.

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Delhi Cafe, Yates Street, now open. •

"Tom and Jerry" at the Bismarck. •

Prizes for Masquerade Ball—Complete list of prizes to be given away by the F. O. E.: Prizes to the number of twenty-six are to be given away at the Eagles' Masque Ball on the night of Feb. 14th as follows: 1st Prize, Ladies' Tombola, Drophead "White" sewing machine, presented by Fletcher Bros. music house. 2nd Prize, Gentlemen's Tombola, gramaphone. 3rd Prize, best dressed lady in fancy costume, dull mahogany princess dresser, presented by Smith & Champion, house furnishers. 4th Prize, best dressed gentleman in fancy costume, dull mahogany chiffonier, presented by Smith & Champion, house furnishers. 5th Prize, best costume representing "City of Victoria," lady, pure white marble clock, presented by H. E. Levy, Esq. 6th Prize, most historical character, gentleman, suit case presented by J. N Harvey, Ltd., clothiers, 614 Yates street. 7th Prize, best national character, lady, fish set. 8th Prize, best national character, gentleman, 400 day clock. 9th Prize, best character representing "Stock in Trade," lady, East Indian rug. 10th Prize, best character representing "Stock in Trade," gentleman, ornamental clock. 11th Prize, best character representing a trade or profession, lady, mounted carving set. 12th Prize, best character representing a trade of profession, gentleman, combination barometer and thermometer. 13th prize, best sustained character, lady pair of bronze statues. 14th Prize, best sustained character, gentleman, pair of bronze statues. 15th prize, most comic character, lady, Turkish rug. 16th prize most comic character, gentleman, set of fish carvers. And ten extra prizes at judges' discretion:—17th, lady, porcelain clock set; 18th, lady, two sugar shells in cases; 19th, lady, two sugar shells in cases; 20th, lady, two sugar shells in cases; 21st, lady, two sugar shells in cases; 22nd, gentleman, Sterling silver mounted cane; 23rd, gentleman, sterling silver mounted cane; 24th, set of horn handled carvers; 25th, Sheffield carving set; 26th, Sheffield carving set. These prizes will be on view in J. N. Harvey's centre window during the week commencing Feb. 5th. •

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quate naval defence. And from the attitude these members now assumed, he took it for granted that when the movement for the perfection of the Canadian navy secured its proper recognition, in the forefront of national defence proposals, these members would be found enunciating and supporting a strenuous, patriotic policy that would measure up to the requirements of the situation.

No Criticism Then

He felt that it was but right to specially congratulate the member for Newcastle upon the evidence offered for his change of heart. With respect to the position taken by his friend the leader of the Liberal opposition—his friend, the Liberal opposition—he recalled that whenever the naval policy of Sir Wilfrid Laurier was under consideration the member for Alberni had never any doubt as to the superlative wisdom of the great Liberal chieftain and the policy for which he stood. He had had no criticism to offer—no complaint to make, in so far as the Liberal programme in connection with the establishment of the Canadian navy was concerned. On the contrary, there was nothing he could say too good, too strongly commendatory for the Liberal naval policy of the day. The people of British Columbia had thought that programme insufficient, they had been unable to agree with Sir Wilfrid Laurier and with his supporter the member for Alberni, that the purchase of the "Rainbow" and her subsequent disposition as headquarters vessel on this coast were in any way adequate in the provision of a sufficient fighting force on the British Pacific seaboard. The people of British Columbia had been told that the "Rainbow" was purchased and intended primarily for use merely as a training ship, and that while she had been practically taken from the naval scrapheap at home in the Old Land she was the most suitable vessel available for the purpose had in view by the government in its first efforts toward the establishment of naval defences on this coast.

British Columbia Cancerned

The people of British Columbia had also been naturally more concerned as to the part that would be played by the new Canadian navy in the event of war involving the Motherland, and it was found by the Hansard that by no procedure and under no conditions would the Canadian navy come in co-operation with the imperial navy. Sir Wilfrid when questioned as to this found himself unable to give the Conservatives of Canada that full and frank explanation of this feature of his policy as generally characteristic of his pronouncements on such occasions. All would remember too with what surprise it was learned that no satisfying answer was forthcoming when it had been as, if, in case of war, Canadian vessels and British warships were in close touch, the Canadian ships would be obliged to go back for orders from the Canadian authorities, or would they stand by the ships of Britain and fight with them under the Union Jack?

The whole thing as enunciated and expounded was a monstrous absurdity, and the position taken by the Liberal leader and party in no way tenable. The Conservatives had challenged the wisdom and the sufficiency of that naval policy, in the first place because the preliminary action taken thereunder was notoriously insufficient and failed to provide for the assembling in these waters of an efficient fighting force; and in the second there was a lack of that essential co-operation and cohesion between the Canadian and the imperial authorities absolutely essential in the event of war. The position taken by the governments of Australia and New Zealand went much farther than any to be hoped for from the explanation and pronouncements from the Liberal benches at Ottawa.

An Obsolete Navy

Beside purchasing the "Niobe" and the "Rainbow," it was proposed in the naval arrangements of Sir Wilfrid Laurier to devote a very considerable sum from the federal treasury toward the construction of new Canadian vessels, year by year, so that eventually Canada might be able to claim proprietorship over a decent-sized navy. Since the change in government the people of Canada had had very recently from the new minister of marine, Hon. Mr. Hazen, a very specific statement to the effect that expert advice taken by him condemned the policy of his predecessor in office on the practical ground that, following out that policy, by the time it was carried out the only result attainable would be the assembling of a number of vessels a majority of which would necessarily be obsolete, out of date and of no fighting efficiency.

This statement of Hon. Mr. Hazen and the course of the government generally since the assumption of office attested the sincerity and genuineness of Rt. Hon. Mr. Borden and his colleagues in the desire to perfect the Canadian naval policy, and this was quite what was to have been expected from them. Such a matter was not capable of determination in a day. The new government had been in office but a short time—only three or four months—but as soon as time permitted it might be depended upon to enunciate and carry forward a policy of an efficient Canadian navy and relieve the tension now obtaining on both the Pacific and Atlantic seaboards of Canada.

Nothing Too Good

In attempting to bring about adequate naval defence, he asked, why should Canada stop short of having the most modern, most powerful, thoroughly efficient warships, the very last word in naval equipment If it was essential that Great Britain have such craft, why not equally for Canada? If the "Rainbow" was regarded as not good enough to retain a place in the active list of the British navy, she was in his opinion not good enough for the Canadian navy. In view of the far-reaching importance of the right development of Canadian naval policy, and in view of the pronouncement made by the minister as to his intentions and his determination, fair opportunity should be given Mr. Borden and his' government to frame and perfect their naval policy before offering criticisms without proper warrant, or taking action which would be regarded as at least precipitate.

There was no question as to Canada's financial ability to provide her own navy; she need no longer go as a suppliant to the Old Country for protection of this nature. He thought that Canadians might confidently expect, when the new administration had had opportunity to confer with the Admiralty, to witness the consummation of a naval policy creditable to the Dominion and alike acceptable to Liberals and Conservatives. As true and loyal Canadians, all should look upon this question from the broad, patriotic, national standpoint. and he sincerely hoped that it might be taken out of politics altogether and placed on a higher plane. It would be well for the House of Commons to grapple with this question of the establishment of the Canadian navy independent altogether of political differences.

Added to the Coast

We on the Coast must naturally at times experience some slight irritation some sense of impatience with those of the other provinces in their apathy in regard to naval possibilities. There was a disposition among those resident on the seaboard to be discouraged at times through the apathy of the Canadians living in the inland provinces—at the disposition displayed by them to regard this question as one that might very well stand over from day to day. With the construction of yet other transcontinental railways in Canada, two of which were now forging rapidly forward, and with a better understanding of conditions prevailing on the coasts, the time would come when throughout the entire Dominion Canadians would join heartily and willingly in the provision of a strong and efficient Canadian navy which would be a credit to any nation in the world.

He had said that we on the coastline particularly appreciated the necessity for the provision of adequate naval defence, and there were good reasons why this should be so. The province of British Columbia was involved in the construction of a number of important railway enterprises with their terminals on tidewater. This meant inevitably that within the next few years the investments of Canadian money which would be placed within the corporate limits of British Columbia's various seaports must run into hundreds of millions. As a matter of honest duty to ourselves and to those who invest their capital in our industries, we should therefore spare no effort in interesting the people of the eastern provinces and the prairies in the urgency of immediate action toward preparedness for defence of the coastline.

A Business Policy

Some weeks ago, at a meeting in the Victoria theatre when the naval question was under discussion, he had said upon the resolution then submitted that it seemed folly indeed that while we were so actively engaged in building up our seaport towns and their interests and securing large investments of money therein, we were doing absolutely nothing to assure their protection. Aside from the national enthusiasm which the majority no doubt felt, or should feel, in this matter, it was a cold-blooded business policy that recognition should be given to the fact that assurance must be provided of the safety of our seashore and of the investments thereabout. Within two or two and a half years the Panama Canal might be expected to be complete, and this brought home the situation with even stronger emphasis. Because of the construction of our several transcontinental lines and their industrial connections large investments had been made in our seaboard towns. How much larger must these investments be when the completion and operation of the Panama Canal was taken into account as a development factor?

There had of late been considerable comment in the American press of a by no means altogether friendly character, but by everything in international law and the comity of nations it could be depended upon that no attempt would be made by the United States to prohibit the navigation of British vessels through that most wonderful waterway. When one looked over the situation generally and took into account by how much our provincial development would be hastened in the three years following the opening of the canal, did not the urgency of the situation as to naval defence come infinitely the more strongly home?

He had no hesitancy in accepting the assurance from Ottawa that it was the government's intention to act quickly and efficiently in naval matters. The press had already given the news that Hon. Mr. Hazen was leaving shortly for London to discuss with the British Admiralty the various phases of the Canadian naval situation. He felt confident that the Canadian minister would find in the first lord of the admiralty, the Rt. Hon. Winston Churchill, a friend and a man equal in every way to the responsibilities of his high office, who would leave nothing undone to give Canadians evidence that the home authorities are with them in their determination to provide an efficient coast defence. After Hon. Mr. Hazen's visit to London one might look very shortly for a specific and definite policy that would relieve all anxiety and assure quick, tangible and adequate action.

The Amendment

He proposed to offer an amendment to the resoution as presented to the house by the opposition leader. He found no fault with the gentleman opposite for the course he had taken, but in view of the fact that the government at Ottawa had but newly taken up its responsibilities, it was but right and fair that it should have opportunity to shape its plans and enunciate them before precipitate criticism or suggestion was offered. The House might well emphasize, however, its recognition of the urgency of the case, and his amendment would be taken as evidence of the earnestness of the people of this province to see something done and in a fitting degree, with regard to the protection of our Pacific seaboard. The amendment, seconded by the president of the council, was as follows:

That all the words in the resolution after the word "coast" in the second paragraph be struck out, and the following words be substituted therefor:

"And whereas the government of Canada has decided that any scheme of naval defence, to be effective, must be by co-operation with the mother country and the other parts of the Empire:

"Therefore, be it resolved, that the Dominion government be urged that, in view of the great importance for the immediate and adequate protection of the Pacific Coast of Canada, the question of naval defence be considered at the earliest possible date:

"And be it further resolved, that his honor the Lieutenant-Governor be requested to forward a copy of the resolution as amended to the honorable the secretary of state at Ottawa."

It might be, Hon. Mr. McBride observed in conclusion, that the member for Alberni might find it possible to re-cast his original resolution along the lines of the amendment, or even adopt the amendment. If so and his zealous colleague from Newcastle were of kindred opinion, the resolution could then pass with unanimity. And if what he had predicted as to the course of the government at Ottawa were not redeemed by events within a few months he would himself be found with his friend from Alberni pressing this matter to the front, for he most sincerely appreciated the general desire of British Columbia for an efficient navy capable of protecting the coastline of this province.

A Matter of Courtesy

Mr. Parker Williams followed the Premier in what was primarily a matter of explanation, the text being the seconding of the resolution presented by Mr. Brewster. The Premier, he observed, had given him too much credit for a change of front, and this assumption had been echoed by the newspaper press. As a fact, he had experienced no change of heart as suggested, his seconding of the resolution having been merely a courtesy to Mr. Brewster, necessitated, if the resolution were to be brought before the house, by the legislative rules. With but one Liberal and one Socialist in the chamber reciprocal accommodations became necessary if either was to introduce a motion or initiate any business in parliament—for neither had as yet gone to a Conservative for favors. The rule requiring a seconder was not common to all parliaments, and he suggested that under present circumstances the house might well see its way to waive it.

As for the naval question he still held the position of being in no way in sympathy with the principles of militarism in whatever form it might be presented. Yet he fully appreciated the worth of British institutions and hoped to see the continuance of the British empire—and of its naval and military strength so long as these were necessary for the security of that empire. But what was the situation today? These two great civilized nations England and Germany were rushing as fast as possible towards financial bankruptcy through their respective endeavors to outvie one another in the matter of naval strength. The whole course of the two was most inconsistent, for the crux of the naval question as latterly illustrated by Great Britain and Germany was that there was no finality possible. The one built great battleships and the other produced some expert who introduced some new feature rendering them obsolete.

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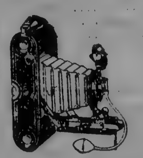

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Big Fleet of Trawlers to be Brought from Grimsby—Cold Storage Plant, Canneries and Other Works

Mr. Wilfred Vere Doughty, son of Sir George Doughty, who controls the greater part of the Hull and Grimsby fishing fleets, and Mr. F. H. Rosher, of the British Columbia Fisheries, Ltd., the company which has just been floated in the United Kingdom with capital of $1,250,000 to develop the coast and deep-sea fisheries of northern British Columbia, have arrived in Victoria to prepare for the establishment of the large fishing enterprise. Until the completion of the Grand Trunk Pacific railroad to Prince Rupert the company will devote its attention to the consruction of fishing stations, canneries, salteries, oil-reduction and other works and a big cold storage plant, which will be located on Porpoise island. A fleet of steam trawlers will be sent from Grimsby as soon as the railroad is ready to transport fish eastward, and arrangements will be made to send out a large force of British fishermen from the North Sea.

The B. C. Fisheries, Ltd., will take over the holdings of Messrs. Simon Leiser and others at Clew, Cumshewa inlet, Moresby island, with the oil works, cannery and the lands at Skidegate inlet and Graham city townsite, with the store and postoffice and foreshore rights, four licenses for salmon fishing at Queen Charlotte islands, licenses for herring fishing and salmon canning, the licenses covering an area of upwards of 500 square miles, and an agreement with the Marvis company, which manufactures and sells flaked fish, covering the exclusive rights for Canada and the United States.

The company, of which Sir George Doughty, who as chairman of the North East Steam Fisheries controls the big fleet of Hull and Grimsby trawlers in the North sea fisheries, is at the head, is to be managed by Mr. Wilfred Doughty. He and Mr. Rosher have secured some valuable concessions from the G. T. P. company on Porpoise island, and the cold storage station which will be constructed there will be the chief distributing point. Trackage will be built to connect it with the main line of the G.T.P. On Moresby and Graham Islands canneries, a saltery, oil works, and fertiliser plant will be established and the big cold storage plant will be on the lands secured from the G. T. P. company at a nominal sum on Porpoise island. General fishing work is expected to be started during the coming spring, but it will be nearly twelve months before the buildings planned can be completed. It is intended to spend about $200,000 in building and general construction work during the coming year.

Mr. Wilfred Doughty speaking of the proposed enterprise yesterday said: "As soon as the Grand Trunk Pacific railroad is completed we shall bring out a fleet of the latest steam trawlers and steam lining vessels of the type now used in the North Sea to operate in wet fish. The trawlers will land their catches at the cold storage depot on Porpoise Island and we shall utilize our own cold storage and refrigerator cars for distribution. This part of the industry will have its base at Porpoise Island while the canneries and other plant will be located on Moresby and Graham Islands. It is possible we may build a special fishing fleet in British Columbia.

"It is the intention of our company to employ as much white labor as possible, and British Columbians will have the preference. Any deficiencies in local white labor will be met by the bringing to British Columbia of selected fishermen from Newfoundland and the Old Country.

"Recognizing that it needs an expert to cure fish, I have a Scotsman coming to supervise the curing of herring and other fish, who is admitted to be one of the best experts in all branches of this work. The two salmon canneries we propose to build on the Queen Charlottes will each have a capacity of about 30,000 cases of fish, and I need scarcely say that should our trade justify, as we trust it will, an increase in the capacity of the canneries or the plant will be made, and the money for this will be forthcoming.

"We expect to do a large business in fish oil, fertiliser and later with the patent form of concentrated fish food known as Marvis. This is to fish what Bovril is to meat. We will also manufacture a fish-meal by a special treatment, producing an article which finds a market for cattle food in Europe. We also intend to extract oil by a patent process to replace the old method of drying and pressing, and our plant will be the first one of its kind on this continent."

DAMARA ARRIVES WITH NITRATE CARGO

Goes to Departure Bay to Unload Before Discharging at the Victoria Chemical Works

The steamer Damara arrived yesterday from Chilian ports after being delayed for some time at San Francisco undergoing repairs to her decks and upper works, and passed up to Departure Bay to discharge part of her nitrate cargo. The Damara will come to the Victoria Chemical Works about the end of the week to discharge the nitrate consigned to that company. The British steamer Hazel Dollar with a part cargo of sulphur from North Japan for the local company is expected shortly, and in about two weeks' time another steamer is expected bringing nitrate from Chili.

SHEARWATER RAN AGROUND

H. M. S. Algerine Left San Francisco Yesterday to Convoy Sister Sloop to Esquimalt

H. M. S. Algerine, which was held at San Francisco on her way from the southern coast to Esquimalt, pending advices regarding damage done to H. M. S. Shearwater by stranding off the Mexican coast, has been ordered to Acapulco, and left the Golden Gate yesterday to convoy the Shearwater north for repairs. The extent of the damage done to the Shearwater was not learned. When the accident took place the Shearwater was under orders to proceed to Guayaquil, Ecuador, on account of th troubles which recently broke out in the South American country. The Shearwater was to have called at many southern Pacific islands on her cruise.

H. M. S. SHEARWATER

Damaged by stranding off the coast of Mexico—H. M. S. Algerine has been ordered to Acapulco to convoy the sloop-of-war north.

INTERNATIONAL CO.'S SERVICE VIA PANAMA

Much Interest in Visit of J. Bruce Ismay to New York and the Canal

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—The reason for the visit of J. Bruce Ismay, president of the International Mercantile Marine, at the same time as other well known foreign steamship interests are here is naturally the source of active mental speculation. There can be no question but what the Panama Canal is the source of active discussion in shipping circles abroad, and, while no official information is yet available there is excellent reason to believe that Mr. Ismay will during his visit make a close study of the new conditions as they would naturally be affected when traffic on the Panama route becomes available. The fact that two of the American-built Red Star boats have been transferred back to American register suggests a plan of competition with the transcontinental railroads for Pacific Coast business. As usual, President Ismay states that his visit is merely a regular semi-annual inspection trip. This is virtually the only announcement he ever makes when he comes to this coun-

The International Mercantile Marine company was virtually a Morgan creation and if it goes into the Pacific Coast business on a large scale it will mean that he has consented to compete with the big transcontinental railroad systems. Of course the greatest competition would be with the Southern Pacific, the Atchison, the Western Pacific and the Union Pacific.

All these lines Mr. Morgan is not especially interested in either as a banker or investor. He is, in fact, more particularly associated with the Hill lines, which would probably not be so greatly affected by the canal's competition. The Union Pacific and Southern Pacific are, Harriman roads, and Kuhn, Loeb & Co., are their bankers. The Atchison is usually considered more or less of a Pennsylvania railroad ally, while the Western Pacific, although very largely the creation of Gould interests, is usually considered to have for practical purposes been partitioned among the other transcontinental lines so far as aggressive management is concerned.

In addition to the two Red Star boats that have resumed the American flag, the International Mercantile Marine has four American line boats that could also be used in the Atlantic and Pacific coastal trade. It is not thought that the Mercantile Marine company contemplates in any way abandoning New York in its Pacific service, should it finally decide to establish one. New York would naturaly be a port of call, as it would not be very far off the direct line from British ports and any Pacific service could readily be made supplementary to the other New York services of the combination lines. Thus, while steamers sailing from Southampton could possibly not expect to obtain a full passenger list or a full cargo to San Francisco, for instance, they could connect at New York and take passengers and freight coming by other transatlantic routes, not necessarily confining this transfer service to the lines in the combination itself.

LIGHTERING CARGO FROM THE BELLEROPHON

Big Blue Funnel Liner Fast in the Mersey When Completing Voyage—Has Big Shipments From Victoria

Advices received from Liverpool state that the cargo is being lightered from the Blue Funnel liner Bellerophon, Capt. Collister, which is ashore in the Mersey when completing her long voyage to Liverpool from this port. The cargo of the steamer includes a shipment of over 5,000 barrels of whale oil laden at Victoria, consigned to Glasgow by the Canadian Northern Pacific Fisheries Company, and considerable canned salmon and general cargo. The Bellerophon left on November 1st with a great cargo, and reached Hongkong on November 25th. About 4,000 tons, mostly flour, was discharged at the far eastern port, and other shipments were unloaded at Manila and Singapore, which port the steamer left on December 20th.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

(By Government Wireless.)

8 a. m.

Point Grey—Clear, wind S. E.; 30.20; 40; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo—Clear, calm; 30.22; 42; sea smooth.

Tatoosh—Cloudy, wind S. E., 10 miles; 30.31; 45; sea moderate.

Pachena—Clear, calm; 30.05; 38; heavy swell.

Estevan—Cloudy, wind S. E., light; 29.92; 45; sea moderate.

Triangle—Cloudy; wind S. W.; 29.42; 31; heavy swell; spoke Camosun at 10 p. m., in Queen Charlotte Sound, southbound.

Ikeda—Cloudy, wind N. W.; 30.10; 37; heavy swell.

Prince Rupert—Cloudy, wind S. E., light; 30.01; 44; sea smooth.

Dead Tree Point—Cloudy, wind N. W.; sea smooth.

Noon.

Point Grey—Clear, calm; 30.42; 50; sea smooth; in, Princess Beatrice at 11:20 a. m.; Orteric at 11:50 a. m.

Cape Lazo—Clear, calm; 30.27; 45; sea smooth; spoke Camosun off Cape Mudge at 11:15 a. m.

Tatoosh—Clear, wind east, 18 miles; 30.45; 48; sea moderate; out, steamer Butler at 8:10 a. m.; Rygja at 9:05 a. m.; in, steamer Damara at 9:55 a. m.

Pachena—Clear, wind S. E.; 30.05; 56; light swell.

Estevan—Clear, wind S. W., light; 29.87; 48; heavy swell.

Triangle—Overcast, wind west, 28 miles; 29.55; 40; heavy southwest swell; spoke Chicago at 11:15 a. m.; in Queen Charlotte Sound southbound.

Prince Rupert—Cloudy, wind S. E., light; 30.13; 44; sea smooth.

Dead Tree Point—Clear, calm; sea smooth.

6 p. m.

Tatoosh—East 31 miles; bar. 30.29; temp. 48; out, 4-masted steamer, 4:30 p. m.

Prince Rupert—Cloudy, southeast, light., bar. 30.11; temp. 40; sea smooth; in, Quadra 5 p. m.

Cape Lazo—Misty, calm; bar. 30.28; temp. 38; sea smooth.

Point Grey—Clear, calm; bar. 30.42; temp. 42; in, steamer Chealakee, 1:30 p. m.; out, Vadso, 5:50.

Triangle—Overcast, southeast, 30 miles; bar. 29.50; temp. 40; southwest swell, 9 p. m.; Prince Rupert, [illegible] northbound.

Ikeda—Cloudy, west; bar. 30.10; temp. 45; moderate.

Pachena—Clear, southwest, light; bar. 29.90; temp. 48; heavy swell.

Estevan—Cloudy, southeast, light; bar. 29.93; temp. 40; light swell.

NEW PRINCESS AT ST. VINCENT

Turbine Steamer Coming for C. P. R. Service Left Cape Verde Port Yesterday—Will Next Call at Montevideo

The steamer Princess Patricia, formerly the Queen Alexandra, a turbine vessel bought by the C. P. R. for the Vancouver-Nanaimo route, left St. Vincent yesterday after coaling there, according to a cablegram received by Capt. Neroutsos, superintendent of the British Columbia coast steamship service of the C. P. R. The Princess Patricia coaled at Cardiff and Las Palmas, and loaded a full cargo of coal at St. Vincent for the run across the Atlantic to Montevideo, her next bunkering port. The Princess Patricia is a small vessel, and has been boarded in for her long voyage to this coast. She will make calls at Montevideo, Punta Arenas, Coronel, Callao and San Diego en route here.

WAR RISKS TAKEN

British Shipowners Place Insurance at Lloyds Against Risk of Hostilities Between Britain and Germany

According to advices received by marine insurance agents business is being done by many shipowners at Lloyds to cover the risk of war between Britain and Germany within the next six months. On January 10th five per cent. was paid on war risks, and the day following many owners placed risks at 10 per cent. to cover the risk of war during the next twelve months between Britain and Germany and France. Against the risk of peace being declared between Italy and Turkey before March 31st 35 per cent. is being paid.

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Wireless reports received from the steamer Tamba Maru, of the Nippon Yusen kaisha line by W. R. Dale, the local agent, state that the Japanese steamer will reach the outer wharf early tomorrow afternoon from Hongkong, and the usual ports of call in the Orient. The Japanese steamer is reported to have a smaller cargo than usual, the strife in China having had a serious effect on the export trade. About 300 tons will be discharged at the outer wharf. The agent of the N. Y. K. has been advised by cable that the Sanuki Maru, the newest vessel added to the line, will leave Yokohama today on her first trip to Victoria. The Sanuki Maru which was formerly used on the Japan-Formosa line, will arrive here about February 15th.

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OPENS CAMPAIGN FOR UNIONISTS

Mr. Bonar Law Makes Sharp Attack on Government's Policy—Dishonesty in Matter of Home Rule

LONDON, Jan. 30.—Bonar Law, the Unionist leader, has gone to the South of France after delivering the opening speech of his campaign, which showed the bitter fighting spirit with which the new Home Rule and Welsh disestablishment proposals will be met. Nothing so scathing has been heard on the Unionist side since Chamberlain's heyday. The principal points of the speech were as follows:

Every revolutionary government is corrupt. The only department which interests the present government in electioneering is the small trickery of politics in which it is indeed competent. During the last six years the government has bestowed marks of its esteem varying from peerage down. It has played the part of Faust to Redmond's Mephistopheles, and will share the fate of Faust. In six years this government has increased our national expenditure to the extent of forty millions sterling a year. If we have a few more years of Georgian finance, the only lucrative profession left in the country will be that of a Welsh Radical politician. What humbugs these people are. The trickery and the methods of the artful dodger may succeed in small things, but will never succeed in big issues.

We hear a great deal about the intolerance of Ulster. It is easy to be tolerant for other people. We who represent the Unionist party in Scotland have supported, and we mean to support to the end, the loyal minority in Ireland. We support them not because we are intolerant, but their claims are just. We have no ill-will toward the Nationalists in Ireland. We have done more to improve their condition than anybody has, and we intend to continue that work.

There is nothing in our history which equals, in my opinion, the dishonesty with which the government hid Home Rule before the election, and now proposes to carry it after the election. The government is a set of gamblers, always ready to double the stakes. It is not only a set of gamblers, but gamblers ready to load the dice with the trickery of the insurance bill.

We cannot abandon tariff reform because we believe in it, because we believe it is the greatest of all social reforms, far transcending any ninepence for fourpence trickery of the insurance bill; because there will be a general rise in the level of wages, and because we know, at least we believe we know, that such a rise is impossible without a change in the fiscal system.

I am convinced that the more violently the government acts the more clearly it will show that like the Gadarene swine it is running down steep places into the sea, and the more complete will be the overthrow when it comes up for judgment before the people.

Additional Wedding Presents

In connection with the Tait-Johnson wedding which was solemnized in this city on January 3 the following additional presents have been received since the list was published: The Hon. Richard McBride, case of sterling silver table spoons; Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Heisterman, pair of silver-chased vases; Mrs. Okell and family, silver cake basket; Mr. and Mrs. William Halliday, (Alert Bay, B.C.) set of carvers; members of Victoria West Athletic association, Oak and silver salad bowl; Mr. and Mrs. Bradford, pair of ornamental fern pots; Mr. J. L. Flanagan, set of carvers; Dr. Ernest Hall, framed water color painting; Mr. H. A. McTaggart (Toronto) hemstitched table napkins; Miss E. E. Middleton (Winnipeg), silver fern bowl; Miss E. S. Hunter (Winnipeg), silver and china sugar bowl and ladle; Mr. and Mrs. S. Murchison and family (Seattle), sterling silver teaspoons; Mr. and Mrs. D. N. McTavish (Vancouver), silver pudding dish; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Givens, silver entree dish; Mrs. James Barber (New York), silver tea-ball; Mrs. A. Henry Seaford (New York), Honiton lace centre-piece; Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Bruce (Fernie), silver pie dish; Mr. T. E. S. Brereton (Armagh, Ireland), pearl brooch; Mr. J. C. Murphy (Armagh, Ireland), hand-embroidered Irish linen handkerchiefs; Mr. and Mrs. Alex Adams (Belfast, Ireland), linen and torchon centre-piece; Mrs. Maynard Linton (Ballyards, Armagh, Ireland), hand-embroidered Irish linen handkerchief sachet and lingerie case; the Misses Brown (Sunnymead, Armagh, Ireland), gold-embroidered Indian muslin centre-piece; the Misses Bowen (Armagh, Ireland), hand-embroidered Irish linen handkerchiefs; Mr. J. C. Boyle, eight-day traveler's clock; Mr. J. Edouard Sears (Vancouver), silver butter knife.

RT. HON. BONAR LAW

Leader of the British Unionist party.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

A Christian Funeral

Sir,—A few words of explanation might not be out of place in regard to Frank Lafourcade's Christian funeral, which is announced for this morning. He attempted suicide, but his great age may have weakened his mind. Long before this, he often told me that he would send for a priest in case of sickness, which fact would seem to show that he wanted to die as a Christian. Be this as it may, a short time after the attempt at ending his life, I saw him at the St. Joseph's hospital, and he was then out of his mind. Later in the day, I saw him again, and found him in a much more rational condition. After I had done what I could for him, he died a quiet death about two o'clock in the afternoon.

REV. J. LETERME.

The Choral Society

Sir,—Thanks to the magnificent support of the press of the city and the self-sacrificing efforts of the honorary conductor and members of the Choral Society, backed up by the very generous response of the public, the concert we purpose giving on Wednesday evening in the Victoria theatre, will be a success financially.

The point I wish to make, however, is the fact that the concert will undoubtedly be of great educational value to the younger musical element, and as the chief aim of the society is the musical education of its members and hearers, we want as many youngsters as possible to attend.

Particular pains will be taken to make the gallery the rendesvous for the boys and girls and the charge, 25 cents, is so moderate that I have no hesitation in extending on behalf of the society, a most hearty invitation to young people to come on Wednesday evening, coupling the same with a guarantee to parents of the oversight of the society.

The concert will be good, I think the best we have given, and I appeal for space for this letter on the broad grounds of support needed for local amateur organizations of this class.

ARTHUR WHEELER, JR.,
Hon. Sec.-Treas.

An Appeal to Charity

Sir,—May I claim a few lines of space to bring to the attention of the public a case which has come under my notice, where I think there is urgent need for a helping hand for those who feel disposed or able to do so.

The lady in question lost her husband from tuberculosis a little over a year ago, and has since then come out to Victoria, and cheerfully turned her hand to any work she could get. Being comparatively a stranger and new to conditions here, she has got behind with rent, and necessary provision bills. With the kindly and ready assistance of some of my friends, the matter of the rent has been put right, but there is still some money needed to put her in a fair way. When I tell you that this poor lady had no food on Christmas Day, and no fuel through the recent cold snap, you will see that there is urgent need for a little friendly lift up. I am arranging now to get her steady employment, but in the meantime some little effort must be made to keep her out of difficulty.

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H. J. ROUS CULLIN.

Letter From Mr. Andrews

Sir,—What a pity it is for a great organ of public opinion like the News to ruthlessly destroy a promising career at the very first stage of its existence! This is what it has done for Mayor Beckwith. Poor man, how distressing! After realizing how completely the News has annihilated him, he might well exclaim: "If I was so soon to be done for, what was I ever begun for." But it is all over with him now. All of which goes to show that moral reformers have no bowels of compassion.

It is all about that vote on the government by commission matter. There appears to be one or two individuals in our midst who are looking for fat jobs out of the new order of things when the city adopts the commission form of city government. Just at present these individuals appear to be exceedingly hungry, and cannot brook any delay. Mayor Beckwith's vote in the council will have a tendency to delay the matter for a time until it can be more fully considered. Hence these tears.

The particulars of the case are as follows: Immediately following the late civic election the city solicitor prepared a bill to go to the legislature covering several different matters. Among these were clauses validating all local improvement bylaws, also a clause dealing with the library crisis, and other matters. Sandwiched in with these were some fifteen or twenty other clauses completely revolutionizing our method of city government, by doing away with about all our present civic machinery, and substituting in lieu of it the commission form of government. These latter clauses would no doubt have met with strenuous opposition in the legislature, and might have endangered the passage of the whole bill. It was advisable that the validating clauses of the bill should be passed at once, so there could be no legal technicalities raised when the city attempts to collect the various local improvement taxes. So the legislative committee of the council very wisely recommended that these contentious clauses of the bill be withdrawn so that the non-contentious part of it might be passed without delay. No man whose opinion is worth anything at all would attempt to question the wisdom of this course. The legislative committee of the council, after carefully considering the matter, brought in a unanimous report. What the mayor did was to vote to sustain the report of the committee. This course was not only due to the members of the committee as an act of courtesy was also the right thing to do in view of all the circumstances of the case.

It is not true that Vancouver is adopting the commission form of government as prepared by our city solicitor in the bill he sent to the legislature. Neither is it true that the Union of British Columbia Municipalities strongly favors the form as embodied in that bill. But even if this were not so, it seems to be a strange proceeding for a city official to prepare a bill revolutionizing our methods of city government, methods which are the outgrowth of a thousand years of experience, and rushing off to the legislature with it without giving the people of the city the slightest opportunity of learning any thing as to the details of the bill. It is well that we have a mayor, and at least five aldermen who realize that public business ought not to be done in that way.

Briefly stated, the commission form of government would abolish the school board, and give us a one-man rule in school matters.

Does any one suppose the educational authorities in the parliament building would allow that change to be made?

It would abolish the board of police commissioners and the board of license commissioners, and place all police and licensing matters under the control of one man, who might drift in with the tide at a civic election.

Would the attorney-general look with favor on legislation of that kind?

It would abolish the board of aldermen. In fact it would abolish about everything in the way of civic machinery which has come down to us as the outgrowth of past experience, and substitute for it an innovation which has not yet passed the experimental stage.

Is it "insulting the intelligence" of the people of this city to say that they did not realize the full import of the change they were voting for at the late election? Dozens of men have told me since the election that they did not understand the question at the time, or they would not have voted for it. And those men are as intelligent and as well educated as the one who wrote the article entitled, "Government by Commission," for the ex-mayor's little organ. In fact that article is chiefly marked by the spleen it displays against Mr. Beckwith and the ignorance its author shows of the question he attempts to discuss.

F. ANDREWS.

Victoria, January 27.

Papal Decrees and Civil Rights

Sir,—In the interest of a clearer understanding kindly permit me a few words regarding some matters touched on in an editorial note in today's Colonist. Both the Ne Temere decree and the decree forbidding Catholics, whether lay or cleric, to bring ecclesiastics before the civil court are purely disciplinary measures affecting Catholics only. The latter aims at having differences arising between lay people and their priest or bishop, and between priest and priest, or priest and bishop, settled by the ecclesiastical courts. It has been and still remains in force in Catholic countries elsewhere, as in our own country, it has either remained in abeyance or has been abrogated by contrary custom. As for the Ne Temere decree, it does, of course, apply to Canada, but neither here nor anywhere else does it, nor was it meant to, override, or in any way interfere with, the civil rights of anybody, Catholic or non-Catholic. The report sent out from Montreal the other day that the Pope was to be petitioned to withdraw it I conceive to be utterly without foundation.

ALEX. MacDONALD,
Bishop of Victoria.

New Light on Controversy

Sir,—I have been reading with much interest the various letters and editorials relating to the construction of the railroad, its connection with terms of union, its proposed terminus and the action of the government in relation thereto and as an old inhabitant thoroughly familiar not only by personal knowledge but by the public documents in my possession, I can heartily endorse Mr. Beaven's championship of the action of the Walkem government, a policy which had the unqualified approval of at least the great majority of the inhabitants of British Columbia at that time. I do not think that any word of mine would at this time serve any good purpose and I therefore refrain from entering into further particulars in the controversy, so ably championed by your correspondents; but suffice it to say that any documents in my possesion, including maps showing the proposed line of railway the historic statement of Lord Dufferin at Government House and others, are at the service of Mr. Herbert Cuthbert.

What about the historic ceremony of the turning of the first sod at Esquimalt of which nothing seems to have been said?

J. R. ANDERSON,

Victoria, B. C., 27 January, 1912.

Mr. Gosnell's Reply

Sir:—On account of absence from the city I had not the opportunity of replying sooner to your editorial remarks of Saturday. I do not now wish to prolong the controversy, but you have succeeded so admirably in shifting the basis of dispute that I am bound to say one or two words to make my position clear.

You proclaimed several weeks ago that the selection of Esquimalt, originally, as the terminus of the Bute Inlet route, was an illustration of the wisdom and foresight of Sir John Macdonald and that, inferentially, it was a mistake to have changed the route. Further that the present route of the C. P. R. was adopted for other reasons than those that might be termed railway reasons. Probably quite true from a peculiarly Island view.

I pointed out, purely in the interest of "historical accuracy," that in June, 1873, there were no sufficient data available from an engineering point of view to determine the wisdom of the choice of the route and the terminus; that the present route of the C.P.R. east of Kamloops was not the selection of the government at all; that the final determination of a route by Sir John Macdonald's government was one through the Yellowhead Pass, via Kamloops, which was subsequently changed at the request of the C.P.R. syndicate, and, incidentally, that the chances of the Bute Inlet route being adopted were very much prejudiced by the course pursued by the Walkem administration. In each respect I feel sure I am right.

I have no prejudices against the Bute Inlet route and no one would sooner see it adopted for a railway than myself. I tried to show, and I have no doubt about the fact, that it will come when population and industry on Vancouver Island will warrant the expense of bridging the Seymour Narrows, or of establishing a ferry, which is quite practicable, at some convenient point. I believe that that work will eventually be undertaken by the Dominion, and that a railway connecting with Fort George from Bute Inlet, over which all railways would have equal running powers, would be an immense advantage to Victoria and to the railways interested. I know very little about railways, but in my own humble opinion a policy having those two things in view on the part of the Dominion and the provincial governments would be the very best that could be advocated locally.

R. E. GOSNELL.

No Sale Made

Mr. H. Bickerdike, owner of the site at present occupied by the Victoria Steam Laundry, denies the report that the property has been sold for the price mentioned. The property is held at $60,000, and although many inquiries have been received, has not changed hands.

Falls From Window

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 30.—Charles B. Edsberg, a five year old boy, laughed so heartily at pictures in the colored supplement of a Sunday newspaper that he fell out of a second storey window at his parents' home here yesterday, and was so severely injured that he died on his way to a hospital.

BROCKVILLE, Ont., Jan. 30.—Smallpox has broken out in the insane asylum here. So far two cases have developed.

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FOR SECOND TIME LYNN BREAKS JAIL

Bars and Bolts of Local Lock-up Appears Easy for Nervy Criminal—Is Caught at Sidney

After, for the second time making his escape from the lock-up and getting clear away, John Lynn, alias Sylvester, is again in the toils. He broke jail about 9 o'clock on Monday evening without any of the force being aware of his dash for liberty and making his way to Sidney was captured there last evening at 6:30 o'clock aboard the "B. C. P." the vessel owned and operated by the British Columbia Packers. The arrest was made by Special Constable Morris, who had been notified by long distance telephone from the city of the fact of Lynn's escape and furnished with a description of the fugitive. Detectives Heather and O'Leary went out to Sidney in a motor car and brought the prisoner back to the city.

Lynn, who was recently an inmate of the provincial jail, and but recently released, was waiting transportation back to the New Westminster penitentiary whence he was parolled after serving a year of a two-year sentence. Before he left the city on Monday evening he called at the residence of Head Warder Thomas, of the local provincial jail and inquired for Warder Thomas. When informed that the latter was away Lynn expressed his sorrow and proceeded on his way.

His First Escape

On July 21, 1910, Lynn was arrested here charged with highway robbery. While held in the police station awaiting trial he made his escape by taking a blanket, knotting it into a line and tying one end to the grating over the lavatory in the cells. After throwing the line through the grating so that it fell into the jail yard he went into the yard, climbed the line to the top of the grating and scaled a low wall nearby. He was caught near Chatham street by Constable Turner. He was sentenced for the robbery to two years in the penitentiary, but as a reward for "splitting" on some fellow prisoners who were about to attempt to break jail, he was allowed out on parole after he had served but one year of his sentence. He went to Vancouver, where he was again arrested, charged with committing a brutal assault upon a woman, and was sentenced to six months, being brought to the Victoria provincial jail to serve out his sentence. He was released a few days ago and was waiting to be taken back to New Westminster to serve out the balance of his penitentiary term, having broken the terms of his parole.

Lynns method of escaping on Monday evening was apparent when the prison force, after becoming aware about 11 o'clock, of his escape, started to investigate. A passageway leads from the yard into the police court chamber, and through this passage prisoners to be tried before the magistrate are led from the jail. This passageway is guarded by a wooden door of ordinary stability, but on the yard side is a grated iron door. Either this latter had been left open, or Lynn, who had free access to the yard, picked the lock. The wooden door was his only remaining obstacle. He smashed the upper panels, making a hole large enough to permit of easy exit.

Eluded the Chief

The crash of the splintering wood was heard by Chief of Police Langley, who was sitting in his office across a corridor from the police court room. He thought at first that the sound came from the street, but on returning to his office he looked into the court room. He saw the head and shoulders of a man, but as it is customary for the city hall caretaker, who is a man of about Lynn's build, to be attending to his duties in the court room, the chief imagined it might be he and that the sound was caused by the overturning of furniture. Lynn naturally did not make his way towards the chief, but calmly passed through the door out into the corridor leading from the main entrance of the city hall and doubtless was met at the front door by several who usually are on hand when the city council is in session above. It was only when the jailers relieved one another at 11 o'clock and the tally of the prisoners showed them to be one short that the man's escape was discovered.

Immediately outside points were notified by long distance telephone of the escape and description of the missing man.

Apparently Lynn lost no time in making towards Sidney, though what possessed him to return to the scene of his former capture is a mystery. He headed out Quadra street, stopping en route at Head Warder Thomas' residence. When told the latter was not in he remarked. "I'm sorry. I wished to say good-bye to him."

When caught at Sidney last evening Lynn had secured employment on the boat and was busily shovelling coal when Special Constable Morris touched him on the shoulder. He made no effort to get away but merely smiled and muttered something about "better luck next time."

Lynn is a Canadian, having been born at St. Augustine, but he has spent some time in the western states where he has a criminal record, having been in jail at Missoula, Montana.

AMOUNTS IN DISPUTE

Government Engineer to Adjudicate on Dispute Between City and Contractors

Because of a dispute having arisen between the Pacific Coast Construction company, the contractors for the recently completed sea wall on the Dallas road, and Mr. A. E. Forman, the city's inspector, over the amount which the company claims is due it for work done on the wall, the matter will be referred to Mr. Griffiths, provincial government engineer. This step was taken by the city council Monday night after a spirited discussion in which Alderman Gleason urged a compromise.

The discussion arose when the report of the finance committee recommending the step was presented. What the amount the company asks was not stated, but Mr. Forman was before the committee yesterday morning and again in the afternoon and he flatly refused to give his certificate approving of the payment. The amount, it is understood, is for extras undertaken by the company outside the original contract.

Alderman Gleason asked an explanation of the item in the report.

Alderman Okell, chairman of the committee, stated the company is claiming certain amounts which Mr. Forman states are not owing by the city, or at least a large portion is not owing. As Mr. Griffiths, under the contract between the city and the company, is the final court of appeal the matter should be referred to him. Personally, Alderman Okell explained, while the amounts might be legally owing some of them were not morally binding upon the city.

Alderman Gleason stated the city solicitor had not favored the course proposed. The wisest course would be to compromise.

Alderman Cuthbert pointed out there was no question of compromise or arbitration. He read the section of the specifications which made Mr. Griffiths supreme because of the fact that the government had contributed a large sum towards the cost of the work. Mr. Forman had claimed the city is being charged some $3000 more than is due.

Alderman Stewart believed the only thing to do is to refer it to Mr. Griffiths, though personally he believed the city will have to pay the bill.

"Here, here, and more too," interjected Alderman Gleason.

The payment of $297 and in addition $100 for funeral expense, was voted to Mrs. King, daughter of the late Jailer preciation of his long and faithful serv- preication of his long and faithful serv-

SEEK IMMIGRATION

New Brunswick Boards of Trade Decide to Call Big Convention to Consider Question

ST. JOHN, N. B., Jan. 30.—At a joint meeting of representatives from the Fredericton and St. John boards of trade it was decided to hold a big immigration convention in Fredericton on the day of the opening of the local legislature.

It was decided to invite delegates from every agricultural society in the province, every board of trade, the warden from each county, the members of the local house, the mayors and representatives from each city council, editors of all newspapers in the province, representatives from farmers' and dairymen's associations, also from fruit growers' associations and representatives from the transportation companies to attend.

Representatives will also be invited from the Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island governments.

Among the subjects to be discussed will be the asking of the transportation companies to make it as easy for people to come from the west to the east as it is now for the people to go west at certain times.

New Westminster's fire loss for all 1911 amounted to but $5,630. Vancouver's exceeded $200,000.

WILL AGITATE FOR NEW HOSPITAL

Resolution Passed at Meeting of Women's Auxiliary of Jubilee Hospital — Routine Business Transacted

At the regular meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital, held yesterday afternoon in the board of trade room, it was resolved that, with the consent of the directors, the ladies would undertake a campaign to collect funds for the erection of a new hospital.

Mrs. H. B. Robertson, president, was in the chair, and there were fourteen members present.

A card of thanks from the family of the late Mrs. Rocke Robertson, for sympathy extended, was read. Mr. Clive Phillips-Wolley wrote enclosing a cheque for $15, the proceeds of the sale of his Coronation Hymn. The secretary was asked to write to Captain Wolley, thanking him for his kindness. Ten dollars was also received from A. Gamble, and a vote of thanks passed to Simon Leiser, Esq. The sum of $60.70 to make up the deficit on the Christmas shopping was ordered paid, and the thanks of the society extended to the following ladies and gentlemen for Christmas donations: Mesdames Robert Beaven, Henry Croft, Cooke, John Pigott, J. Dunsmuir, J. S. H. Matson, B. W. Pearce, Guy Warner, C. W. Rhodes, A. W. Jones, A. F. Griffiths, Thomas Lee, W. E. Oliver, H. B. Robertson and children, Otto Weiler, G. Wilson, Ballantyne and children, Miss L. Meyer, Miss Dala Dunsmuir, Miss Nancy Piggott.

Col. Prior, Messrs. J. H. Lawson, H. E. Newton, Max Leiser, B. Wilson & Co., R. P. Rithet, R. Ward & Co., and A. Hall, Central Drug Store.

Mrs. Phipps and Mrs. Thos. Watson were appointed purchasing committee for the next three months, and Mrs. Griffiths and Mrs. Barton, visiting committee for the month. It was decided to begin the regular sewing meetings in the sewing room at the Jubilee hospital on Friday, February 9th, and all members of the society were earnestly requested to be present. An informal discussion then took place concerning the necessity for a new hospital. It was pointed out by Mrs. C. W. Rhodes that since the hospital was built twenty years ago the city's population had greatly increased. Although money was constantly being spent for repairs, the old building was not only too small, but in every way unsuitable to present needs.

The president and others spoke of the great prosperity of the city, and it was stated that though a new hospital would require a large sum, Victoria was quite able to provide it.

Mrs. Hasell pointed out that the movement for the erection of a new hospital must first come from the citizens of Victoria to be afterwards supplemented by government and provincial grants. Mrs. Hasell then moved, and Miss Meyer seconded the following resolution, which was passed unanimously: That this executive appoint a committee (with the permission of the directors) to institute a campaign to take place at a given date throughout the city to secure subscriptions towards the building of a new hospital.

The week before the 24th of May was suggested as a suitable time for this canvass, and agreed to by those present.

Mrs. Rathom, delegate to the Local Council of Women was asked to bring the resolution to the notice of that body.

The last business transacted was to order the purchase of two wheeled and half a dozen easy chairs. The meeting then adjourned.

Edson Now Scene of Western Picturesqueness

Hundreds of Grande Prairie Settlers Flocking to New Town for Supplies

E. L. Stady, of the Grande Prairie Land & Townsite Co., Brandon, was in the city Monday making preliminary arrangements with the Grand Trunk Pacific officials for a second excursion to Edson. Mr. Stady conducted a party to Edson in the second week of January, and it was such a success and so many people have since expressed a desire to visit that part of the new west, he has decided to organize a second party, and expects to require three special tourist cars for their accommodation.

Mr. Stady states that while he was at Edson there were 208 teams there from the Grande Prairie waiting for supplies, and more than that number were reported to be then on their way in from the northern Eldorado by the Edson-Grande Prairie road. The road was in good shape, and each team expected to take out two tons. The journey from the furthest out settlement in the Grand Prairie, Grand Prairie City, a distance of 220 miles to Edson, had been accomplished in sixteen days with oxen.

What with settlers coming out for supplies and land seekers going in, Mr. Stady says Edson is a very busy place. Every load of supplies costs on an average $800, and cash is paid in every instance. There is a frontier picturesqueness about the bustling young town that reminds one of the early days in Manitoba before the railways had penetrated the country beyond the Red River, scenes that are only now to be witnessed in the remotest parts of the country, and will ten years hence be entirely a matter of Western Canadian history.

A number of those who accompanied Mr. Stady's first excursion, most of whom were from the Portage la Prairie district, bought property at Edson, and intend to take up their residence there. Mr. Stady's second party will leave about the middle of February.—Winnipeg Free Press, January 24.

Doctors Could Not Help Him

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Water Branch

In the matter of the Board of Investigation created by Part III. of the "Water Act" for the determination of water rights existing on the 12th day of March, 1909; and in the matter of the following creeks in the New Westminster Water District:—

Alta or Summit Lake.
Alpha Lake.
Allan Creek.
Britannia Creek.
Boulder Creek.
Clementine Creek.
Capilano River.
East Branch of Capilano River.
Chee-kee Creek.
Cheakamus River.
Cheakamus River, North Branch.
Cheakamus River, South-east Fork.
Cold Creek.
Caldwell Creek.
Cathedral Canyon.
Crocker Creek.
Cypress Creek.
Daisy Lake.
Deer Creek.
Eight Mile Creek or Soo River.
Elaha or Squamish River.
Furry Creek.
Fitzsimmons Creek.
Green Lake.
Houlgate Creek.
Holmden Creek.
High Falls Creek.
Lynn Creek.
Lewis Creek.
Mineral Creek.
Mamquam River.
Little Mamquam River.
McCartney Creek.
Mosquito Creek.
Mislllooet River.
Mackay Creek.
Mud Creek.
Martin Creek.
McDonald Creek.
Nita Lake.
Nelson Creek.
Olsen Creek.
Rice Lake.
Shone Creek.
Seymour Creek.
Stoney Creek.
Upper Stoney Creek.
South Valley Creek.
Skookum River.
Summit or Alta Lake.
Soo River or Eight-mile Creek.
Sunshine Creek.
Silver Falls.
Sisters Creek.
Squamish or Elaha River.
South Squamish River.
Swift Creek.
Shovelnose Creek.
Shannon Creek.
Straamus or Stroamus River.
Trafalgar Creek.
Tenderfoot Creek.
Thames Stream.
Unnamed creek flowing into Lynn Creek.
Unnamed creek flowing into Nelson Creek.
Unnamed creek flowing into Seymour Creek.
Unnamed creek flowing into Squamish River through District Lot 977.
Unnamed stream in District Lot 549.
Stream running through District Lot 600, Group 1.
Stream on Block 43 of Subdivision of District Lots 771 and 547, Group 1.
Unnamed stream running in on north boundary of District Lot 626.
Stream on District Lot 271.
Small creek running through Lot 775 in southerly direction.
Small stream running into North Arm, Burrard Inlet, opposite works of the Vancouver Power Company.
Unnamed mountain stream coming in on the north boundary-line of Lot 626, in Municipality of North Vancouver.
Small stream running in a southerly direction into Burrard Inlet, about one mile and a half east of Seymour Creek.
Unnamed stream flowing through E. ½ of District Lot 1240, Group 1.
Unnamed stream running east and west through Lot 950, southern portion.
Creek running through District Lots 979 and 812, Group 1.
Unnamed stream flowing through eastern portion of District Lot 2028.
Unnamed stream close to eastern boundary of same.
Unnamed stream rising in Lot 1494, North Vancouver District.
Unnamed stream on west shore of Mainland emptying into Howe Sound opposite east shore Bowen Island.
Unnamed stream having its source north of District Lot 559, and running in a southerly direction through the said lot into Burrard Inlet.
Unnamed stream which runs through Lot 2049 and Lot 2048.
Unnamed stream which runs southerly through subdivision of north-easterly part of District Lot 871.
Unnamed creek on Lot 280, about 12 chains from south-west corner.
Unnamed stream running from Lot 1406 through Lots 1360 and 2018 into Burrard Inlet.
Unnamed stream which passes through District Lot 881, flowing south-westwards into District Lot 785 and through District Lot 880.
Unnamed stream passing through District Lot 785 westwards.
Unnamed creek flowing through District Lots 1301, 869, 803, and 862.
Unnamed stream on north boundary of District Lot 882.
Unnamed stream flowing south-easterly through District Lots 2003 and 2004.
Unnamed creek entering North Arm of Burrard Inlet on west side, between Brighton Beach and Point Beautiful.
First gulch south of Schooner Harbor, and running through Lot 2076, Group 1.
Unnamed creek running through easterly part of District Lot 801, North Vancouver.
Unnamed creek running westerly from Snow Flat, on Lots 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, Group 1, and all unnamed springs, streams, creeks, ponds, gulches, and lakes tributary to or in the vicinity of the above-named streams.

Take notice that each and every person, partnership, company, or municipality who, on the said 12th day of March, 1909, had water rights on any of the above-mentioned creeks, is directed to forward on or before the 29th day of February, 1912, to the Chief Water Commissioner at the Parliament Buildings at Victoria, a memorandum of claim in writing as required by section 27 of the said Act as amended. Printed forms for such memorandum (Form No. 19.) can be obtained from any of the Water Commissioners in the Province;

And take notice that the said Board of Investigation intends to proceed to tabulate such claims on or about the 30th day of March, 1912.

After the claims have been tabulated by the Board, notice will be given of the places and days on which evidence and argument will be heard at local points.

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[illegible] ARMSTRONG,
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Entirely different from common laxatives. Pleasant to take, mild [illegible] A tablet (or less) at bed-time regulates the bowels perfectly. [illegible] doses never needed. Compounded, like all the 125 NA-DRU-CO preparations, by expert chemists. Money back if not [illegible] 25c. a box. If your druggist has not yet [illegible] send 25c. and we will mail them.

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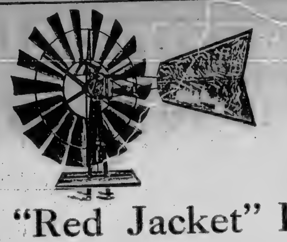

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SO EASY TO FIX

The extensive sale of RED JACKET PUMPS is due to the fact that they are the only pumps on the globe so easy to fix. Their simplicity of construction is a sure guarantee of the foregoing statement. Expense is reduced as repairs can be made with less help, less tools, less outfit and less time than any other pump.

'Dods' Packing---The Best on the Market

These test pieces of packing were square before pressure was applied

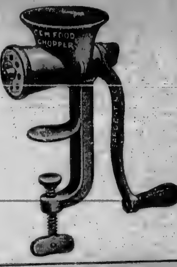
Dod's Square Packing under pressure as illustrated, will expand 100 per cent.

Regular Square Packing in general use, under pressure, as illustrated, will expand but little.

Send for Samples and make this test yourself in a vise

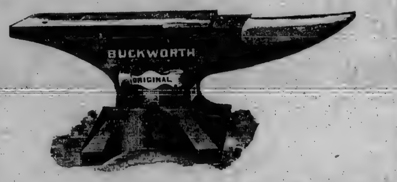
For Chopping Food of Any Kind, Meat, Fish, Vegetables, Fruit

Sargent's Gem Food Chopper



It saves time, trouble and strength, greatly simplifying the making of mince pies, hash, Hamburg steak, croquettes, fish balls, curries, salads. and many other favorite dishes. It is also a great economizer in saving "left over" food from waste. It is simple, strong, durable, easily cleaned. Does not mash, tear or grind food, but chops it, either fine, coarse or medium. Has self-sharpening knives.

"Buffalo" Forges and Blacksmith's Tools



We carry full and complete lines of this Canadian make of Blacksmiths' Tools. We have everything you want at just about the price you think of paying. Insist on **"Buffalo" Tools**—don't be deceived by substitutes.

Corbin's Universal Door Check and Spring

Now the cold, windy weather has arrived is the time to keep your doors always closed. This can easily be done by using this appliance. Corbin's Universal Door Check and Spring can be affixed to either right or left hand doors without change.

"Bull Dog" Door Catch

It Reaches Out and Draws the Door Shut

An automatic door catch using **unequal force;** normal force to open; a mere touch to close. **For Screen Doors, Cupboard Doors, House Doors, etc.**

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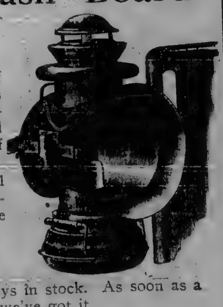
for cutting rubber or leather belt, sheet rubber, packing and all descriptions of heavy rubber goods. With this Shear you can cut a perfectly straight line through a piece of rubber belt with the ease you cut a piece of cloth with the ordinary shears.

Banner Dash Board Lanterns



The principal features of this **Improved Lantern** is its extra large oil base and patent fastener on lock as well as the side-lift inside of frame.

For a lantern that will keep alight and will give satisfaction the **Banner** is the one for you.

Carriage Lamps

Full line of these always in stock. As soon as a new idea is on the market we've got it.

Leather and Rubber Belting

"Amphibia" Waterproof Leather Belt, manufactured by Sadler & Haworth in single and double ply; also "Climax"

"AMPHIBIA" PLANER. Since we placed this Belt on the market about two years ago, we have had more favorable comments on it than on any other one that we have ever made.

A Planer requires a Belt that is made specially for the work.

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One customer who has tried it, says that it lasts five **times as long as any other Belt he has ever used.**

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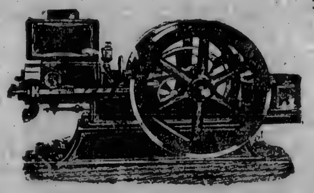
"CLIMAX" is our best Belt and is made for all kinds of heavy work. The stock in it is specially selected for weight and quality. It will always be found "just a little bit better than seems necessary."

Waterloo Boy Gasoline Engines



Actual Brake Test

EACH WATERLOO BOY Gasoline Engine is submitted to an actual brake test to see that the engine will develop the horse power as rated. This test is prolonged to discover any defective material or workmanship in the engine. A record of the test can be furnished so that each customer may know the actual brake test of the engine he buys.

We also test our engine in reference to fuel consumption. Each engine is sent out adjusted so that it is ready to run when uncrated. We use great thoroughness and care in testing our engines.

THE MIXER produces a perfect mixture of gasoline and air, gives the greatest power from the least gasoline. The suction of the piston draws the charge of gasoline mixed with air, into the cylinder. IT WORKS BETTER THAN ANY PUMP EVER MADE.

THE GOVERNOR is the centrifugal type, driven by gears positive in action, extremely sensitive, controls perfectly the speed of engine, regulates fuel supply to closest point of economy, saves batteries, igniter and fuel. The parts are few, simple and interchangeable. Can always be depended upon. Our governor is our great ECOMOMIZER.

THE OPEN JACKET requires only from two to three gallons of water per horse power. Old style from 20 to 30 gallons. It is very compact, enables you to make the engine frost proof by using oil in hopper and greatly saves fuel. No system of cooling a gasoline engine is as satisfactory as the open jacket.

THE SPEED LEVER works on the same principle as a throttle on a locomotive, by moving the speed lever you can increase or decrease speed of the engine from 50 to 75 revolutions. This can be done while the engine is running. It works in close conjunction with the governor in saving the fuel. We count our speed lever one of the SPECIAL and most valuable features of our engines.

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Gold Medal, Charleston, 1902

Combination Stones—These stones are designed especially for carpenters and mechanics.

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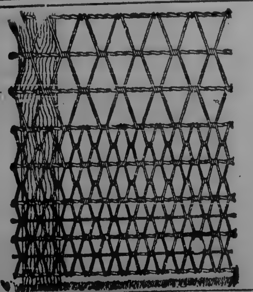

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ANCIENT Order of Foresters, Court Northern Light, No. 5935, meets at Foresters' hall, Broad St., 2nd and 4th Wednesdays. W. F. Fullerton, Sec.

LOYAL Order of Moose will meet at their hall on Government St. every second and fourth Tuesday every month until further notice. W. Wright, Secretary.

SONS of England, B. S. Alexandra Lodge 116, meets 1st and 3rd Wednesdays, K. of P. Hall, Jas. P. Temple, 15 Erie St., Pres.; J. Critchley, Sec., Sidney, B. C.

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WANTED, home, close in; $3000 to $4500, no agents; state particulars. Box 528, Colonist.

WANTED, by middle of February a well finished modern 6 or 7-roomed residence in good locality, inside mile circle, near car line, from $5000 to $6500, with a cash payment of $1000 to $1500; must be good value; owners only. Box 577, Colonist.

WANTED, a 5 or 6 roomed bungalow or cottage in James Bay, Fairfield, Ross Bay, or Oak Bay; price about $3000; only property owners need apply; state terms. Apply to R. B. K., P. O. Box 120.

WANTED to buy, 5 room modern cottage, value about $3500, within twenty minutes' walk of post office; state on what cash payment and terms it can be bought for. P. O. Box 715, City.

HELP WANTED—MALE

AT the Australian, 2641 Douglas st, with board $5.50 and $6.00; bed only $1.00 and $1.50 weekly.

BRICKLAYER wanted to build single chimney on Cloverdale ave. P. O. 1477.

DRAUGHTSMAN wanted, must be good and have Western Canadian experience. Apply P. O. Box 412.

GOOD painter and paperhanger wanted. Apply J. M. Fullam, 1032 Collinson st.

SHOE Clerk wanted. Apply to Watson's Shoe Store, 635 Yates st.

STOCKMAN Wanted—Also to receive and check goods; apply stating experience and salary expected; must be a teetotaler; Box 459 Colonist.

THE King George Grill has re-opened under new management. We serve a special 25c lunch and dinner. Short orders at popular prices. Open from 6 a. m. to 2 a. m.

WANTED—Young man from 18 to 25 years with executive ability, to learn good business; excellent opening for a hustler and teetotlar. Box 490, Colonist.

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WANTED—Experienced clothing salesmen apply 633 Johnson st.

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WANTED—Young man for ranch in Gulf Islands near Sidney; preferably recently from the Old Country; willing to learn; advantage if musical; general work; neighbors near; small wages; apply Box 472 Colonist.

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WANTED—First class real estate salesman to take charge of business, good inducements to right man, must take working interest in business. Address P. O. box 1439.

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WANTED, two industrious young men wishing to work their way through school, to carry the Daily Colonist in the early morning; there are two routes vacant at present. Apply at once at The Daily Colonist Office, circulation department.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

DRESSMAKING—Wanted, junior assistants, improvers, apprentices. Mrs. Stuart, 566 Michigan street.

WANTED, at once, a reliable woman to take 2 children out in afternoons. Apply in mornings to 661 Beacon st.

WANTED—Girl as general help; phone 1569.

WANTED—A girl. Apply after six; 2106 Blanchard street. Hours from 8 a. m. to 7 p. m.

WANTED, girl for housework. 1041 Collinson st.

WANTED—MILLINERY APPRENTICES —David Spencer Limited.

WANTED, capable mother's help for two children. Apply Box 111, Victoria.

WANTED, a young girl for light housework. Phone 3153.

WANTED, quiet, refined woman as general help, for lady with one child; good plain cook; cottage close in. Box 415 Colonist.

WANTED—At once, reliable woman or young girl to assist with housework and children. Phone M2218.

WANTED, two experienced arm waitresses; six days a week; $10 a week. Olympus Cafe.

WANTED—Young lady for real estate office with some knowledge of typewriting; state salary expected; Box 404 Colonist

WANTED—General servant small family; apply 1615 Monterey av.

WANTED—Immediately a house parlor maid; apply at 1319 Vancouver st. before 2 p.m., or between 7 and 8 p.m.

WANTED, middle aged woman as companion to old lady, make herself useful. Apply 1018 Park Boulevard.

WANTED A GOOD GENERAL SERVANT, sleep out. Apply 1114 Rockland avenue, between 10 and 12 a. m.

YOUNG lady wanted for Mona Cafe, 1307 Broad st.

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—White Row-boat, about 15 feet apply Mr. Duncliffe, Gorge Park.

FOUND, a pair of gold-rimmed eyeglasses, apply David Spencer, Limited.

FOUND—One small diamond; owner can have same by proving ownership; apply Room 2, McCallum block, Douglas st.

LOST—Irish setter dog, answers to name of "Sport." License tag number 1021 on collar. Any person giving information of his whereabouts or returning him to 1079 Verrinder avenue will be rewarded.

LOST, bundle of magazines, called "What's On" (in orange cover), containing several newspaper cuttings; finder will be rewarded on returning same to Bickers, 634 Michigan st.

LOST—Wire haired terrier, white with lemon spots on back and head. Reward. Jack Fletcher, near Work Point Barracks.

LOST on Oak Bay avenue between Bend and Junction, lady's dull green leather hand bag, reticule or purse, with gold clasp, and green cord attached, containing nothing of value except to owner. Please return to Watson, Umoola, Oak Bay Ave., Phone F368.

LOST—Tuesday evening, 23rd inst, old garnet and pearl brooch with cross pendant. Reward if taken to Colonist office Box 549.

LOST, South African silver coin brooch; Finder please return to Oak Bay Hotel or Colonist. Reward.

LOST—Saturday morning 11.30 a.m. on Outer Wharf car a parcel containing a nugget brooch, jet necklet and black bead purse; finder kindly return to Challoner & Mitchell Co., Ltd., and receive reward.

LOST—English setter dog, lemon spots; anyone harboring after this date will be prosecuted.

LOST—From 1138 Fort St., fawn cocker spaniel dog. Reward.

LOST—Bead necklace. Finder please notify E. C. Heuss, 110 Occidental ave., Seattle, Wash. Liberal reward.

LOST—Small Shetland pony; phone 2703.

LOST, on Saturday night, a small crescent shaped crystal brooch; reward on returning to 104 Collinson st.

LOST—A 2-months-old pup; black and tan. Finder please phone 239.

STRAYED—To E. Goodall, Goldstream, a setter dog with collar; R. Porter name on collar.

MONEY TO LOAN

WHY pay rent? I will loan you the money to buy or build on long easy terms; $18 a month will enable you to own a $3,000 home. W. H. Allison, 324 Pemberton building; phone 2194.

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ONE Reliable Man in every town, to take orders for best custom-made clothes in Canada. Highest commission. Rex Tailoring Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

A1 Cook, English, French and plain cooking, desires engagement in town or in the country. 532 Colonist.

CAMP cook, bread baker; phone R2076.

DRIVER, delivery or express; phone R2076.

EXPERIENCED male nurse seeks position to attend gentleman invalid; willing to travel. Box 523 Colonist.

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MILLWRIGHT—Young married Scotsman wishes work; city or country. Box 559 Colonist.

MILLWRIGHT would like job as erector of machinery. Box 494 Colonist.

MECHANIC wants work; Box 402 Colonist

SHIPPER, yardsman or tallyman wants work; references; H. C., 458 Parry st.

WANTED—Contract for light hauling with single horse wagon by day or week; moderate terms; Box 482 Colonist.

WANTED, by two first class carpenters, work by day or contract; all work guaranteed. Box 47, Colonist.

WANTED—By experienced farm hand, situation on a farm. Apply, Box 243, Colonist.

WANTED, by a married couple, no children, situation on ranch, to take management. Apply 1109 Fort st., Victoria.

WANTED—Work, contract; any kind; 567 Pandora st.; Oriental, civil building engineer; E. R. Sone.

WANTED, have splendid proposition for good outside salesman; exceptionally good thing for right man. Investors' Securities Company, 1316 Douglas.

WANTED, by an experienced man, place of trust to a gentleman; garden and fruit management, pruning and packing; good milker and butter worker; well up in poultry, duck and chicken rearer; first class references. 277 Colonist.

WANTED—Immediately by steady young Englishman, experienced in nursery work, situation as gardener; country preferred; apply Box 231 Colonist.

WANTED, two industrious young men wishing to work their way through school, to carry the Daily Colonist in the early morning; there are two routes vacant at present. Apply at once at The Daily Colonist office, circulation department.

YOUNG man seeks situation as collector; satisfactory references. Box 492 Colonist.

YOUNG man wants work on a ranch. Box 286, Colonist.

YOUNG MAN, age 29 years, with some capital, wants a position. Not afraid of work. Know the whole city well, will invest if business is O. K. Box, 248, Colonist.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

A capable reliable woman wants position as help in small refined family; good cook. Apply 413 Wilson St., Victoria West.

AS help—Post desired by young English person, Victoria; $30. Phone 890 or H. S., 350 St. Charles st.

A CAPABLE woman wants to take care of children a few hours afternoon or evenings. Box 969 Colonist.

AN experienced typist wants work in spare time; references. Phone L3061.

A POSITION as chambermaid in country Box 308 Colonist.

DAILY governess requires position. Address Teacher, 410 Oswego st.

DAILY employment by energetic domesticated lady; Box 630 Colonist.

DOMESTIC help. Ladies should phone 2919 or call at Vancouver Island Employment Bureau, 1323 Douglas st., upstairs.

DRESSMAKER would like room in dry-goods store; high-class tailored and fancy dressmaking; or would take position. 931 Green st., Victoria; phone L1654.

DRESSMAKING by the day, good local recommendations. 2009 Cook St. Phone L2675.

DRESSMAKING coats and skirts a specialty. 1803 Quadra; phone R820.

DRESSMAKING. The Misses Roberts, 29 Menzies st.; phone L1727.

DRESSMAKER, experienced, 2524 Fernwood rd.

DRESSMAKING—Highest grade evening gowns a specialty; cut and fit guaranteed; N. T. Watts, Rooms 7 and 8, 707½ Yates st.

EXPERIENCED dressmaker wants work by the day; Mrs. C. Derbyshire, 74 Eberts st.

EXPERIENCED trained maternity nurse open to engagement; terms moderate. Box 588, Colonist.

GENERAL Servant, Scotch, wishes situation, $30 dollars. Box 544 Colonist.

HOUSEKEEPER, thoroughly competent, desires position either with widower and children, or with two or three gentlemen. Box 498 Colonist.

HOUSEWORK wanted by day or week. 801 Fenwell st., off Humboldt.

NURSE—Maternity hospital trained; open for engagement; apply Box 306 Colonist

NURSE visits patients for medical rubbing. Box 348 Colonist.

PIANIST (female) wishes engagements. Box 110, Colonist.

SCOTCH woman desires position as housekeeper; good plain cook; Box 481 Colonist.

SCOTCH LADY, THOROUGHLY RELIABLE desires position as companion or help, knowledge of millinery and dressmaking. Speaks French fluently. 327 Colonist.

SERVANT, Scotch, wishes situation, $30. Box, 545, Colonist.

SITUATION as housekeeper or general help, (English) middleaged. 107 Ladysmith street, James Bay.

WOOLLENS and flannels carefully washed with pure soap by an Englishwoman; Box 471 Colonist.

WANTED—At once position as help in small family by young English lady (experienced) cooking preferred; apply Box 61, Duncans P. O.

WOMAN wants work Thursdays and Fridays; reliable; Box 401 Colonist.

WORKING housekeeper, middle-aged, would like position on ranch; had long experience on ranch. Box 564 Colonist.

YOUNG lady wishing to return to England will take charge of children on voyage. Box 516 Colonist.

YOUNG woman wants daily work. Address Box 412 Colonist.

WANTED TO EXCHANGE

FOR SALE or exchange for first payment, one lot in North Vancouver, 33x122; lot 10, block 32, subdivision 204, for small house near car line in Victoria. Phone R1957, Box 84.

WANTED to exchange, new 5-room bungalow for good building lots. What offers? Box 443, Colonist.

WILL exchange my farm, 240 acres near Brandon, Manitoba, for Victoria or district property. Apply Owner, 822 Humboldt st.

WILL exchange Stoddart-Dayton car in first class condition for good building lot and some cash; phone 2926. J. L. Punderson & Co., Ltd., corner Fort and Quadra.

WANTED TO RENT

WANTED to rent, two furnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping; close in. Box 506 Colonist.

WANTED—To rent, 10 to 20 acres of land with house and buildings within a few miles of Victoria. Address Box 582, Colonist.

WANTED to rent, two furnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping; close in. Box 506 Colonist.

WANTED to rent, a store or part of a store; must be centrally situated. Apply Women's Exchange, 742 Fort St.

MISCELLANEOUS

AGENTS take notice—The Western Lands Limited have now the exclusive sale of my house at corner of Gladstone and Belmont; Mrs. M. S. Wheatley; January 27, 1912.

A GOOD idea for early spring. Plant now your daffodils, narcissi, darwin tulips, English and Spanish iris. Our wallflowers, lilies, pansies, pink, primroses, hollyhocks, Marguerite plants are ready; also hardy perennials shrubs, rose trees, all varieties at reasonable prices. Call or phone 2278, new floral store, 854 Yates st., just above Carnegie library.

ANTIQUE Jewelry, diamonds, engravings and pictures bought and sold. Mrs. A. A. Aaronson, 85 Johnson St.

AUTO and Taxi Cabs for hire day and night. Taylor Bros., phone L2942.

BAGGAGE promptly handled at current rates by the Victoria Transfer Co.; phone 129. Office open night and day.

CONCRETE foundations, excavating; houses built. Address P. O. Box 1141 Victoria.

DINNERS, banquets, supper parties, etc., catered for on short notice; rates on application to Henry E. Church, caterer James Bay Grill.

GARDENER, extensive English and Canadian experience, specializes in attractive gardens, would undertake charge of gardens on monthly payments; trial solicited; seeds and plants; reasonable prices; terms moderate. G. R. P. O. Box 848 city. phone YY368.

EXPERT skate grinding. Wilson's, 614 Cormorant.

GARDENER—H. Tidbury, landscape and jobbing gardener; by the day or contract; phone 1776; 1009 Johnson st.

MISS E. O'ROURKE, Public Stenographer, Office No. 418 Pemberton block. Telephone No. 2502.

PLANS prepared for apartment blocks and bungalows. P. O. Box 1073.

PRIVATE lessons given in Shorthand, Pitman's, bookkeeping, handwriting and arithmetic 1121 Burdette ave. Phone L2081

REAL Estate Agents—My house, No. 2230 Oak Bay ave., is sold. D. H. Alcorn.

REAL ESTATE men please take notice, property, 658 Niagara street is now off the market.

SINGING lessons given by Paul Edmonds, of London and Paris, baritone with Tetrazzini in 1909. Phone for appointments. R2495.

THE Island Window Cleaning Co.; phone L1382; 731 Princess ave.; janitor work done.

THE Companions of the Forest will hold a social dance in A. O. F. Hall on Thursday, Feb. 1st. Gents 50c, ladies 25c.

THE Ladies' Guild will give a Fancy Dress Dance in the Metchosin Public Hall on Wednesday, February 14. Gent's ticket, $1.; lady's 50c; refreshments. Doors open 8:30; fancy dress optional.

WANTED—At once a Victoria real estate firm to handle a Vancouver sub-division. The best advertised proposition in Vancouver. Address H. D. Smith, Westholm hotel.

WANTED—Pupils for the pianoforte by certificated teacher. R. A. M. London, England; terms $5 per month. Box 100, Colonist.

WANTED—A few young men and girls for a private dancing class to be held once a week in the evening; those wanting to enter please send names as soon as possible to P. O. Box 381.

WANTED—Spectacles and eye-glasses of any kind that are superior to those I furnish. No charge for testing eyes. Frank Clugston, Optician and Optometrist, 654 Yates street (corner Douglas) room 1.

WANTED, a home for a strong girl of 14, where she could attend school part of the time; country preferred. Box 449 Colonist.

BUSINESS CHANCES

AN old-established wood and coal business, doing a lucrative trade; horses, wagon, harness, etc., all included; $6000. Wise and Co., 109 Pemberton building.

BEST hotel business on Vancouver Island outside of Victoria; 64 bedrooms with parlors and 6 sample rooms; modern throughout and everything in first class shape; monthly turnover for last 18 months $5500; price $32,000; with 5 year lease; write or see Lewis and Hindmarch, 532 Broughton st.

DON'T bother if you have't $1,000 cash; Rooming house lease and cheap rent; accommodate over 50; urgent disposal; get in before rush. Apply Landlady, Box 533 Colonist.

ENERGETIC, capable Englishman would join another on a ranch or in business. Highest references. Address Gothard, Nanaimo Club.

FOR Sale—Splendid new hotel in Vancouver, 115 rooms, ten-year lease; fifteen hundred net rent; just opening up. Rooms best furnished in Vancouver and easily capable of doing $4,000 a month; grill will be one of the show places of Vancouver. A 100 room rooming house, running full all the time, everything new. Hotel $50,000, about $20,000 cash. Rooming house $15,000, half cash. Address Homer Carr, Westholme Hotel, City.

FOR sale, a first class business; splendid opportunity for right party; excellent reasons for selling. Apply P. O. Box 979.

FOR Sale—The best "get rich quick" hotel in North America, $15,000; W. I. Land, Shore Hardware Co., P. O. Box 46, Victoria, B. C.

FOR Sale—The whole or part interest in a good paying business in Victoria; apply T. J. Ballau, 621 Fort st.; basement Pemberton block.

FURNITURE—New; when buying furniture, bedsteads, etc., be sure and go to Butler's, 734 and 736 Pandora st., and get his prices; it will mean dollars in your pocket.

INVESTORS, Attention!—I have perfected auto spring that will not react; absorbs all shocks, and takes up spring all four ways; I need money to obtain patents and will take partner with necessary capital. Box 987 Colonist.

TEN partly paid up Island Investment Company shares for immediate sale for cash. Address 410 Colonist or phone R2646.

TWO and a half years' lease of prominent rooming house in heart of city; call and see us about this. Law, Butler and Bayly, 1009 Government st; phone 1315.

WANTED, ten a one speculator to join syndicate; there is big money in this or else a small loss. Are you game for the profits? $100 to $500 required; returns possible 3 to 5 times larger. Apply P. O. Box 332.

WANTED, a partner with $3000 in first-class manufacturing proposition. Box 1212 city.

WANTED to buy a rooming house about 16 or more rooms, close in. Must be a going concern. Apply Queen City Realty, 1413 Douglas, Phone 2774.

TO RENT

AN office to let, board of trade building, ground floor; vault. Apply Secretary.

DESK room offered in central office; $1 week; phone L2817.

FOR RENT—Front office on ground floor. Splendid location. 535 Yates St.

FRONT room for rent; could be used as an office; between Blanchard and Quadra, 848 Fort st.

LARGE front room, with store; 1 minute from Douglas, 665 Gorge rd.

TO let or lease, a farm 8 miles Cumberland and Courtenay; 160 acres, 50 cleared and under cultivation; good house and buildings for particulars E. Allen, Monckton, Farleigh, Courtenay, B. C.

TO Let—Large unfurnished room; apply Cigar Store 1321 Broad st.

TO rent, stable, 3 stalls, and barn, Garbally rd.; $8 per month. Apply 569 Gorge rd.; phone 1225.

TWO or three unfurnished rooms, $15 or $20, new house, car line, 5 minutes Parliament buildings. Box 519, Colonist.

PROPERTY FOR SALE

A good buy, close in, between McClure and Collinson; facing on two streets. 61x112, $10,000. Wise & Co., 109 Pemberton Bldg.

AT Outer Wharf—About ⅛ acre $7500 will handle; balance easy; good for 3 days only; owner P. O. Box 86.

ATTRACTIVE corner, 50x120 in the Fairfield district; only $1,200 an don good terms. This will not last long; better drop in first thing this morning and see us about this. Herbert Cuthbert and Co., 635 Fort st.

A SNAP—A full sized lot, 50x120, in Golf Links Park, for $800; terms $100 cash balance to suit. Apply R. B. K., P. O. Box 120.

A BEAUTIFUL home site for gentleman wishing a country home; 7½ acres good land, with several hundred fruit trees, just in their prime and a quantity of small fruits; the finest view in Saanich, overlooking the straits; just about twenty minutes run with auto from city; price $10,000, on terms. Apply 844 Broughton st.

ABOUT 7-8 of acre, two 5-room cottages on property; rent about $60 per month, about 300 feet trackage on E. & N. railway; price $20,000; one third cash. Apply George L. Powers, Real Estate Agent, 820 Humboldt st.

ACREAGE in parcels of 2½ acres, or more to suit; 2 acres of most excellent cultivated land in each lot, close to creek and road; 8 miles from Victoria; near Luxton; new C. N. Ry. station, Happy Valley; price $600 an acre; easy terms; owner, A. Cosh, 1817 Cook st. Victoria, B.C.

A FEW shares in Syndicate of Saanich land on new car line; splendid opportunity for small investor; payments over six years. Box 225 Colonist.

A REAL Snap—Lot on Craigflower road 50x120, $1500; splendid view of the Gorge; apply A. T. Weight, 304 Pemberton building; phone 1136.

A SECTION of 66 acres with house furnished, outbuildings, chickens, etc., running stream of water, close to rail, school and main road; near 8 mile circle, Victoria, most lovely place for country home; owner 1817 Cook st., Victoria; phone R1843.

A SNAP—Quebec st., half block from Government buildings, lot 54x120, with small house; price $7500; this is one of the best buys in James Bay. McDonald Realty Co., 8 Promis block.

ASQUITH st., between King's rd. and Ryan; 2 lots 50x130; no rock; for quick sale, $700 each. Law, Butler and Bayly, 1009 Government st.

BEAUTIFULLY situated, overlooking the Golf Links; lot 80x180; only $1800 on easy terms; there is a particular reason which we cannot advertise, which makes this the most attractive buy in Oak Bay today; come in and talk it over with us. Herbert Cuthbert and Co., 635 Fort st.

BETTER than Cook st. is Burnside road with its new double track car line, and newly paved street; property on this main thoroughfare is cheap today compared with other localities; we have one acre on corner close to Douglas street with handsome 3 roomed dwelling, garage, out houses, etc., and 55 matured fruit trees; property will subdivide into four large lots facing on Burnside, and one extra large lot, including dwelling on side street; price for a few days $11,000; terms half cash, balance 1 and 2 years at 7 per cent; Stewart and Gallop, 301 Pemberton block; phone 2653.

BIG money is made in buying close-in acreage. I have choice acre and quarter tracts, one mile from the business centre of Fort George, $475 to $750 per tract, on easy terms. B. Garratt, 506 Sayward building.

CORNER Bay and Grahame—Price $1300 on terms; J. S. Gusty, 1304 Douglas st.; phone 2310.

CORNER Cook and Hilda—60x120; price, $3150; terms; J. S. Gusty 1304 Douglas st.; phone 2310.

COQUITLAM Townsite, the new C. P. R. Pacific terminals. Subdivision of lots adjoining industrial sites; real estate firms and live salesmen invited to co-operate. Frank R. Adams, 525 Pender st. West., Vancouver, B. C.

DUPLIN Rd.—Close to Douglas car line; lot 50x165; price $900; terms $200 cash, balance $100 every 6 months including interest; J. S. Gusty, 1304 Douglas st.; phone 2310.

ELEVEN acres, within the 2 mile circle; only $1400 per acre, quarter cash, balance 1, 2, 3 years; choice for sub-division; can you beat it? Box 21, Colonist.

FAIRFIELD Snap—Chapman st., lot 55x136 to lane; price $1450; terms ¼ cash, balance 6, 12, 18 and 24 months; J. S. Gusty 1304 Douglas st.; phone 2310.

FIVE lots, carrying income of a house; will sell single, double or en bloc; 20 first prize fruit trees on each, at $800 to $1000 each. 160 acres in Otter district, Sooke, one section from new railway now graded; cheapest and best section in the district; $17.50 per acre, adjoining section held at $30 per acre. High lot and two shacks, Cloverdale ave., producing $17 per month; $1500. Level lot in Rock Bay, on Hillside; full size; $4000. Lot, with two houses, John st., Rock Bay; $7200. Cloverdale ave., $2650; corner block of 4 lots. Apply Room 4, B. C. Permanent Loan building.

FOR sale, in Greater Edmonton, five lots with large factory buildings; used as sash and door factory until death of proprietor; price $8000; half cash, balance 1 and 2 years without interest. Also three lots with small house, $4000; half cash, $1000 mortgage assumed, $1000 in one year at 8 per cent. A good trackage proposition and values will jump when high level bridge completed. Particulars Box 1111 P. O. Victoria.

FOR sale, $1000, lot on Shakespeare st., just off Edmonton rd.; terms; apply P. O. Box 715, City.

FOR sale, the last big acreage near Victoria. The greatest buy on Vancouver Island. We have it. Over 100 acres with frontages on Cedar Hill and Gordon Head rds., ideal for a sub-division, in every respect for only $1050 per acre on very easy terms. This property is very cheap. Besides being on two main thoroughfares leading from the city it is on the main route to Douglas park, destined to be a very great attraction; the tram line must inevitably move through this district to Gordon Head and Cordova Bay. It is near the University school and possesses many features which will make it an admirable sub-division if held for a short time. It is only three miles from the city hall, is under cultivation, and free from rock; the price is lower than any property of its class within five miles of Victoria and is a great snap. We recommend you to see it immediately. The price is reduced for about ten days; after this time it will be positively changed. Shaw Real Estate Co., 302 Pemberton building.

FOR Sale—In North Vancouver, 1 lot 33x120, Lot 10, Blk. 32, subdivision 204; or exchange as part payment for small house in Victoria; near car line; Box 895 Colonist.

FOR Sale Cheap—10¾ acres good fruit land on Feltham rd., Gordon Head; J. G. Postar, Feltham road.

FOR Sale—About one acre with 6 roomed house; one hundred and seventy feet trackage; see owner Room 12, Sylvester Rooms, Yates st.

FOR sale, ten acres, Gordon Head, all ready for plow, to be sold cheap. Apply J. Gunn, Hillside ave.

FOR Sale—Cadboro waterfront 39¼ acres $2700 per acre; apply G. H. S. Edwardes 621 Beach Drive; phone X463.

FOR sale, seven lots at Alberni in section 45; by incorporation these lots will be inside the city limits; price $175.00 each; apply owner P. O. Box 715. city.

FOR sale, some Manitoba Farm lands for Victoria property. Apply Clarence Hotel, Room 64.

GLANFORD ave. property, within the 3 mile circle; a positive money maker, as another satisfactory turnover of 6 acres this week did prove; we now offer 5 acres highly cultivated, good orchard, practically new dwelling, stable and outbuildings; a snap at $9500; one third cash, balance easy terms. Phone 2709. Union Real Estate Co., 575 Yates st.

GLENFORD Ave.—Four acres; $6,300. Good terms. Wise & Co. 109 Pemberton Bldg.

GOVERNMENT st., near Simcoe; 2 lots, 120x120, $[illegible]; $[illegible] cash, balance 1, 2 years. [illegible]

PROPERTY FOR SALE (Continued)

HALF acre lots on the Carey rd., near car line, for $800; $100 cash and $15 per month. Law, Butler and Bayly, 1009 Government st.

HAMPSHIRE rd., just south of McNeil ave., 48x113; $825; $175 cash balance monthly. J. R. Bowes and Co., 643 Fort st. Phone 2724.

HOTEL site—4 acres; a real good and attractive property; lake frontage, and station adjoining on 7 mile circle Victoria; owner 1817 Cook st., Victoria; phone R1843

IF you want the greatest bargain in a corner lot on Linden ave., and on very easy terms, write direct to P.O. box 345 City.

IF you are looking for a good money-making snap in James Bay, near the water, write me at once; you can watch for a big thing in James Bay mighty soon. Box 21, Colonist.

JAMES Bay—Superior st., close to Michigan; large lot, 60x130, with small house renting for $15 per month; good buying at $4400; easy terms. Bagshawe and Co.

JAMES Bay—Priced very low for a quick sale, 88 feet frontage with house, on Menzies st., overlooking Parliament square; price $10,000. Russell and Gregg, 207 Pemberton building.

JUST what you want—5 acres with frontage on Elk Lake; first class ground and easily cleared; price $1,500; 1-3 cash, balance arranged; J. S. Gusty, 1304 Douglas st.; phone 2310.

LAKE Okanagan frontage at Peachlands, 365 feet and about 600 feet deep (nearly 6 acres), $3,000 on terms. Nearby frontage held at $1,500 an acre. Will exchange for chicken ranch at Victoria. 479 Colonist.

LIME Bay, Catherine st., 2 lots, 120x120; $21,000; one-third cash. Bagshawe and Co.

LOOK! New double track car line on Burnside road with newly paved street is the whole talk in city improvements today; see us at once for two revenue producing properties on this street suitable for subdivision, close to Douglas street; Stewart and Gallop, 301 Pemberton block; phone 2653.

LOT on Oliver st., Oak Bay, or in Hollywood park from owner only for $800; will pay $200 cash; give exact size and location. 278 Colonist.

MICHIGAN st., 120x120; price $6000; one-third cash, balance 1 and 2 years; this is one-third the price of surrounding properties; good for this week only. Allen and Son; phone 1650, over Northern Crown Bank.

MONEY Maker—2 acres with oak trees; between Laurel and Boundary rds.; price $7000 on terms; this price good for only two more days; J. S. Gusty, 1304 Douglas st.; phone 2310.

McPHERSON ave., 2 large lots, $1500 each; one third cash, balance 6, 12 18 months. 109 Pemberton building.

ONLY $625 acre; 5½ acres choice land, adjoining Glanford ave., splendid investment. P. O. Box 336 Victoria.

OAK Bay Ave.—Close to Foul Bay road; 47x266; price $2,100; this will make you money. J. S. Gusty, 1304 Douglas st.; phone 2310.

RAILWAY St., (between Blanchard and Quadra), 91.9x65, $6,000, 1-3 cash. Wise & Co., 109 Pemberton Bldg.

ROCK Bay bargain—120x120 feet on David st., next to corner of Bridge st., for quick sale price $7250, on easy terms. Russell and Gregg, 207 Pemberton building.

ROCKLAND Park—Asquith st., lot 50x120; price $750; one-fourth cash, balance easy.

RUSSELL station, close to; three-quarters acre, 400 feet railroad trackage; $25,000; terms. Bagshawe and Co.

SEE our list of lots in Rockland park and Belvedere subdivision; these lots are advancing rapidly; buy now and save money. Allen and Son, phone 1650; over Northern Crown bank; open evenings.

SEE us for a good snap on Hillside ave. where things are moving; Allen & Son phone 1650; over Northern Crown Bank; open evenings.

SEE Esquimalt Realty Co., Esquimalt, for houses, lots, acreage.

SHREWD investor with cash can get choicest corner Cook and Caledonia and double his money by June; 5 day offer; Box 432 Empress Hotel.

SNAP on Fourth st., 50x150; $760; $245 cash, balance 6, 12, 18 months; in need of money; phone 2724.

SNAP on Ryan st.; 2 lots 50x120 each; 120 feet off Hillside; the 2 for $1500; $300 cash, balance over 2 years; this is a money maker; see Allen & Son; phone 1650; over Northern Crown Bank; open every evening.

STANLEY ave., near Pandora for $1450. Law, Butler and Bayly, 1009 Government st.

TOPAZ and Grahame—Double corner high and dry and a good view; size 102x135; price $3000; terms; J. S. Gusty, 1304 Douglas st.; phone 2310.

VICTORIA West—Double corner, 90x120; Langford st.; price $2625, on terms; buy this before the big move; J. S. Gusty, 1304 Douglas st.; phone 2310.

VANCOUVER st., near Bay, for $1525. Law, Butler and Bayly, 1009 Government st.

VICTORIA West, corner Catherine and Skinner sts.; 60x135, with 10-roomed modern house, costing $4000; price, for a few days, $7000, on terms. Allen and Son, phone 1650, over Northern Crown Bank; open evenings.

WATERFRONTAGE, 120x120, with trackage on E. & N.; situated on Esquimalt bay, next to the reserve; snap at $27,000 on good terms. Allen and Son, phone 1650, over Northern Crown Bank; open evenings.

WILKINSON rd. subdivision on the B. C. Electric Railway; half acre lots for sale from $700. H. Booth, Room 7, 1007 Government st.

YATES st. snap—30 feet for $7500 on terms. Russell and Gregg, 207 Pemberton building.

4 LOTS on Reservoir Hill; fine view close to new Hillside car line; the 4 for $2500 on very easy terms; Allen & Son; phone 1650; over Northern Crown Bank.

41 ACRES on Chemainus river; under 3 miles from Chemainus, Westholme and Crofton; trunk road frontage; all bottom land; mostly cleared, balance slashed; house, large barn, orchard, stock, implements; good milk business; good income guaranteed; price reasonable; apply owner, Dell, Chemainus.

$300 buys 20 acres fruit lands near Hazelton on the railroad; $80 cash, balance $10 per month. 123 Pemberton building.

640 acres of land in the Bulkeley; crown granted; 2 miles from railroad, at $10 per acre; No. 1 land. Law, Butler and Bayly, 1009 Government st.

HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR rent, two new 6-room houses, 2127 Chambers st.

FOR Sale—7 room house, new; electric light, bath, furnace and basement cemented; in good location $4500; $500 cash; $25 per month; or lot as first payment. Apply 1125 Quadra st.

FOR Rent—3 miles from Victoria, [illegible] nished 3 roomed cottage suitable for bachelors; apply Southwell, Colwood.

TO RENT—7-roomed house, Quebec [illegible]. Apply D McIntosh, Mahon Building.

TO let, 7 roomed house, [illegible] tunity for rooming house; [illegible] same for sale, only those prepared [illegible] need apply at 25 Johnson.

[illegible]

TO Rent—Oak Bay, [illegible] well furnished, [illegible] land; chicken houses, [illegible] conveniences [illegible] O. Dennis, Oak [illegible] inlet.

TO LET—VICTORIA W[illegible]

HOUSES FOR SALE

AMPHION St.—Oak Bay; 5 room bungalow large lot; price $3500; good terms; J. S. Gusty, 1304 Douglas st.; phone 2310.

A BARGAIN—New 4 room house, Edmonton rd.; price $2500; terms $350 cash, balance as rent; J. S. Gusty, 1304 Douglas st.; phone 2310.

A BEAUTIFUL new 7 room bungalow for sale, Fairfield; lot 50x135, with lane; improved garden; price $6800; terms; Alex. D. Malet; phone R2805, or P. O. Box 965.

A BUNGALOW in good district, 7 rooms; modern; full sized basement; parlor, dining room and hall panelled; 3 bedrooms, bath room, sewing room, large kitchen and pantry; price on easy terms $3400; or all cash $3000 for one week only; apply to owner Box 417; or phone 3074.

A BUNGALOW, Oak Bay, 7 rooms fully modern, full sized basement, furnace, 100 yards from car line, 10 minutes' walk to the beach. Easy terms. Box, 262, Colonist.

A JAMES Bay snap, within 2 blocks of water at outer wharf, 8 room house and lot, 30x135, producing $35 monthly. I have the exclusive sale of this most valuable property for one month only, and the price is $5000. Alex. D. Malet, phone R2805. P. O. Box 965.

AN opportunity occurs to secure very cosy 5-roomed bungalow on Maclure st., west of Cook, on full sized lot, facing south, at bargain price; for home or investment this property cannot be equalled in value anywhere in city, the lot alone being valued at well over $4000; but to ensure immediate disposal of this property can offer same for few days at the cut price of $5500; $1500 cash, balance like rent. National Realty Co., 1232 Government st.

A NO. 1 Listings—Herbert Cuthbert & Co., Homes in all parts of the city. See all others, but see us before buying. Herbert Cuthbert & Co., 635 Fort st.

A SNAP—Bungalow, 5 large rooms and hall, Chapman st., close to Cook; $4300; no agents; could add 3 more rooms above. Box 560, Colonist.

ASK us. If you are looking for a good home we can please you no matter how exacting may be your requirements. We make a specialty of selling new bungalows in all parts of the city, at prices ranging from $2550 up to $6600, with the best of terms and small cash payments. Eureka Realty Co., 717-719 Yates st.

A WELL finished 4 roomed cottage near Douglas car, $2200; easy terms; owner Box 340 Colonist.

BOURCHIER st.—A new four-roomed bungalow, with bathroom, basement; on lot 50x120; price $3100, cash $450, balance $30 a month. Beckett, Major and Co., Ltd., 643 Fort st.

BYRON st.—A rustic bungalow with four large rooms, attic, full basement, bathroom, built-in buffet in dining room; lot 50x125; price $3700, with one-third cash, balance on terms. Beckett, Major and Co., Ltd., 643 Fort st.

COOK St.—Near Hillside; new 8 room house very nice; with good lot; price $4500; terms $600 cash, balance arranged; J. S. Gusty, 1304 Douglas st.; phone 2310.

DUCHESS st., a decided bargain; owner leaving city; a first-class family house, all modern conveniences, 8 rooms, 5 bedrooms, basement and furnace; extra well built; two lots on corner of Fort st., close to cricket grounds; price $7000; terms. Sole agents, Bagshawe and Co., 224-5 Pemberton building.

DUNEDIN St.—New 6 room house, price $4000; very easy terms; J. S. Gusty, 1304 Douglas st.; phone 2310.

FINE new 2-story house, 7 rooms, bathroom, pantry, toilet, dining room panelled, beamed; buffet; all Mission finish; piped for furnace and heaters; open fireplace; immediate possession; Willows car; terms. Owner 1897 Foul Bay road.

FOR SALE—7-roomed house, electric light, bath, furnace, basement concreted, good location; $4500; $500 cash, or will exchange lot for 1st payment. Apply 1125 Quadra St.

FOR Sale—A 3 room house with bathroom about 25 minutes walk from the city hall, $1400; $250 cash, balance to suit; Box 400 Colonist.

FOR quick sale house almost new 8 rooms bathroom, basement, nearly acre on corner; lawn, oaks, large and small fruits, no rock; car ten minutes; 1¾ mile circle; high site, good view; no sea fogs; taxes $15, main street asphalted near to soon; small cash payment, balance easy; price $8000. Apply Owner, 464 Colonist.

FOR sale, 6-roomed modern house, Fairfield Estate; 15 minutes walk from P. O.; lot 45x160; large cement floor basement; small cash payment; easy terms. Apply T. D., P. O. Box 1157.

FOUL Bay snap—Modern 6-roomed house, living room panelled and open fireplace; dining room panelled and fitted with beautiful buffet and window seat; 3 bedrooms with large clothes closets; bathroom fitted with modern conveniences; large kitchen and pantry, fitted with drawers, draining boards, flour bins, shelves, etc.; full size basement, with cement wash trays and cement floor; hot and cold water through; lawn services back and front; electric light installed; piped for furnace; concrete sidewalk; all fenced, on large lot, over quarter acre, with 3 room shack in rear; just completed; price $4500; terms, 326 Irving rd., end of Foul Bay car line.

HOUSE for Sale—New 6 room house with full basement and furnace; new gas range; Monarch cook range and electric light fixtures; built on large lot between Vancouver and Cook st; close to town and car; easy terms; $5800; Box 465 Colonist.

HOLLYWOOD Crescent—Large 6 roomed house, bathroom pantry; large cement basement and wash tubs; splendid location and view of the bay; $5000; $1000 cash; balance arranged; apply A. T. Weight, 304 Pemberton building; phone 1136.

HOUSE for sale, 7 rooms, modern, full-sized lot, close in, furnished and rented in suites, $168 a month; price $6000; cash $2000, balance arranged. Apply 813 Fort st.

HOUSE for Sale—6 rooms Johnson st.; just above Cook; built two years $5000 good speculation; terms; Post Office Box 1439.

JAMES Bay—For sale, fully furnished 5-roomed house on corner, near sea and car; an excellent investment. Apply 120 Rendell st.

JAMES Bay—6-roomed house, Toronto st. W. Booth, Room 7, 1007 Government st.

JUST completed, modern 8-roomed house on high corner lot, 5 minutes from Fort st. car; on the mile circle; street paved and boulevarded; price $5500 on easy terms. British Realty Ltd., 403-404 Sayward block.

LINDEN Ave.—Near May, 5 roomed modern bungalow; best buy on the avenue, $4750; easy terms; good lot as part payment; owner Box 418 Colonist.

NEW house on large corner, $4750. Also cheap lot; phone for owner, M3028.

NORTH Hampshire rd. and Oak Bay ave., beautifully situate on a lot 50x120, a new 7-roomed house, with bathroom, kitchen, basement with hot air furnace; the dining room has an artistic built-in sideboard and the rooms are burlapped and tinted. This is a really excellent house and the price is very moderate at $6,000 with only $1200 cash and the balance to suit purchaser. We very strongly recommend this. Beckett, Major and Co., Ltd., 643 Fort st.

NORTH Hampshire rd—A modern bungalow with three bedrooms, dining room, sitting room, bathroom, kitchen, basement and accommodation for the building of two extra rooms. There are two lots each 51x150 and the price is only $5750, but note the terms: $1000 cash and the balance only $600 a year!! Beckett, Major and Co., Ltd., 643 Fort st.

OAK BAY—Modern 8-room house, corner lot 96x114. Price $5500. $1800 cash, bal. arrange. Stuart & Reeves, Fort and Douglas, Phone 2612.

OAK BAY—Best part, new modern 8-roomed house, mission finish, furnace. Lot 60x120. Price for quick sale, $5,500. Easy terms. Owner. Box, 998, city.

PRINCESS ave., between Vancouver and Cook st., and facing south; 5 room bungalow, modern in every respect; lot 51x130; price $3000; terms $1000 cash, balance arranged. J. S. Gusty, 1304 Douglas st.; phone 2310.

HOUSES FOR SALE—Continued.

QUEBEC st., near Menzies; 7 rooms, $6300 Law, Butler and Bayly, 1009 Government st.

QUEEN'S ave., well within the ½ mile circle 6 room bungalow, bath, and pantry; everything up to the minute; lot 60x120 right at the head of Work st.; price $6750; 1-3 cash, balance over 2½ years; or can arrange for all cash; owner leaving city Allen & Son; phone 1650; over Northern Crown Bank; open evenings.

READY to occupy March 1, modern 7-roomed house on lot worth $3000 on South Turner st., including furnace; price $5800. British Realty Lt., 403-404 Sayward block.

ROSEBERRY Ave.—5 room new house; good lot; price $2800; terms $600 cash, balance $25 month and interest; J. S. Gusty 1304 Douglas st.; phone 2310.

SNAP—In ½ mile circle new house, large lot very easy terms; apply 2626 Blanchard st.; phone L1128.

THE Best Yet—Three houses let at $62 per month; two of six and one of eight rooms; bath and all modern improvements; stone foundations; on one of the most prominent suburban corners on junction of car lines suitable for shop property after slight alterations, and could be made to produce double or more rental; price $9000 cash $3000; bal. $60 per month, including interest; Arthur H. Harman, 1207 Langley st., opp. Court House.

THE best $5000 house in Victoria, situated on Work st., on the half mile circle; 7 large rooms, hall, bath room and pantry, furnace, cement basement, laundry, gas range, coal range, blinds, electric fixtures, new and modern in every particular; terms $500 cash, $500 April, balance $30 per month. Allen and Son, phone 1650, over Northern Crown Bank.

VANCOUVER st., near Bay; 6 rooms, $4000. Pembroke st., near Cook, 6 rooms, $4500, Law, Butler and Bayly, 1009 Government st.

WHY Pay Rent? New 5 room house Edmonton rd.; price $2750; terms $350 cash, balance same as rent; J. S. Gusty, 1304 Douglas st.; phone 2310.

5 ROOM bungalow with ¼ acre ground; close to Jubilee Hospital; price $2750; cash $500, balance same as rent; J. S. Gusty, 1304 Douglas st.; phone 2310.

6 ROOM house on one fifth acre, 21 fruit trees, $3650; lot on Fairfield car $1150; lot on St. Charles $1000; phone M2028, owner.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

CABIN Cruiser or work boat, for sale at a bargain. Length 40 feet, Beam 9 feet 6 inches, with 20 horse power Buffalo engine. Completely equipped. Write P. O. Box 154.

CANOE complete with carpets and cushions $45; or offer; Box 325 Y.M.C.A.

EDISON gramophone, with 35 records, guaranteed in perfect condition. $50 or offer. Box 325 Y.M.C.A.

FOR SALE—250 shares Lucas Patent Granite Pipe and Cement Construction Co., $1.00 each or would trade for small launch. P. O. Box 117.

FOR sale, a new 400 egg size model Essex Incubator for $25. Apply 2620 Cedar Hill rd. Wm. Todd.

FOR Sale—A Wilcox and White "Pneumatic Symphony Organ" with cabinet and 150 rolls of music; all in good condition for $250; cost $600; apply Maynards Photo Stock house, 715 Pandora st.

FOR sale, mantel, grate and tiles, in good condition; cheap. Call at 410 Quebec st.

FOR Sale hotel bus in good condition, rubber tires. Apply at B. & S. stables, 741 Fisguard st.

FOR Sale—Coffee mill and motor also roaster; cheap; P. O. Box 185, or phone R2372.

FOR sale, a piano, new; cost $450; price $300. Apply at 129 Government st. J. W. Dilworth.

FOR sale, roller top desk and swivel chair. R. Harris and Co., Ltd., 1107 Langley st., Victoria.

FOR Sale—Loggers take notice one Washington ironworks double drum 9x10¼ donkey engine in good order; also one Albion Ironworks 9x10 upright engine in good order cheap; apply The Moore Whittington Lumber Co., Ltd.; Pleasant st.

FURNITURE of 10-room rooming or boarding house for sale; house can be rented; close in. Address Owner, Box 480 Colonist.

FOR Sale—Newly new Empire typewriter; also girls dresses, black ball dress, blue silk evening dress, Suite 1, Mount Edwards; phone 2342.

REMOVAL sale—All buggies at less than cost; agricultural implements, etc.; also a solid oak counter. B. C. Hardware Co., Ltd., 733 Johnson st.

THE Old Curiosity Shop, Duncan, for sale old mahogany chairs and tables, grandfather clocks, Sheffield plate urn.

TO person going east, a lady's fur-lined coat; mink collar, with muskrat lining for sale. Apply Ladies' Industrial Exchange, Fort st.

WOODLAND Rhododenorons—$5.50 and $7.50 per dozen, freight paid to Victoria; George Fraser, Ucluelet, B. C.

ROOM AND BOARD

BOARD and room, best English cooking. Apply The Quadra, Phone L920, 1621 Quadra st.

BOARD and room; terms moderate. 1011 McClure st., off Vancouver; phone L1697.

BOARD and room, 238 Mary st., Victoria West, $6 a week.

CAHALEN, Beacon Hill park; private home comforts; single and double rooms moderate inclusive terms; close to town; phone 1995.

ROOM and board for 2 young men, 1043 Sutlej, phone L2942.

ROOM and board; use of phone and piano R2818, 1023 Oliphant ave.

ROOM and board, use of piano. Phone R2818, 1023 Oliphant ave.

ROOM with board for one or two men at 1326 Johnson st.

ROOM and board, single and double rooms, three minutes from Cook and Pandora car line. 1216 Rudlin st.

ROOMS and board $6 weekly; and furnished room for two $3 weekly; 238 Mary st., Victoria West.

ROOMS and board; beautifully situated; near Gorge; close to car line; terms moderate; Miss Chamberlain, 1237 Sunnyside ave., off Craigflower rd.; phone R3125.

SINGLE room with board, for young man. 121 South Turner st.

THE POPLARS, room and board $1 per day, single meals 25c, the best in the city for the money. Corner of Belleville and Government streets; one minute from C. P. R. docks, Mrs. Dora Green, proprietess

TO let, large front room, with board in private house; married couple preferred; every convenience; phone R1093.

WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD

COMFORTABLE room and board wanted by respectable young man; reasonable terms. Box 294, Colonist.

GENTLEMAN requires room and board with private family, close in. H. Ince, Y. M. C. A.

GENTLEMAN wants room and board, near centre of town. $8 per week. Box 542, Colonist.

ROOM and board wanted by young lady at business all day. Box 230, Colonist.

SCOTCH Boarding House; rooms, with or without board. 560 Johnson.

WANTED, bed-sitting room by single gentleman; James Bay district. Address, stating terms, Box 518 Colonist.

WANTED, room and board by a single man with a German or American family; state terms. Address Box 1478 P. O., city.

WANTED, by young man, room and board in good private family; state terms. Address Box 172, Colonist.

TO RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS

A COMFORTABLY furnished front room, open fireplace; moderate. 1108 Cook st.

A large front room to rent; electric light and phone; central; board optional. 1017 Burdette Ave.

BED sitting room for two on Burdette; breakfast; phone L3081.

BED sitting room, suit two young ladies or gentlemen. 464 Gorge rd.

COMFORTABLE room in English home, overlooking Beacon Hill park; breakfast if desired; young Englishman or Englishwoman of cultivated tastes preferred. Apply Box 522, Colonist.

COMFORTABLY furnished bedrooms, with breakfast, 12 minutes from post office. 1139 Hilda st., phone L1461.

COMFORTABLY furnished room to let; 515 Ellice st.; phone 2029; $3.00 per week.

FOR rent, housekeeping rooms. 827 Fort st.

FOR rent, large front room, furnished or unfurnished. 963 Caledonia ave.

FOR rent, comfortably furnished room, suitable for one or two gentlemen; close in; breakfast if desired; light, bath, phone 601 Trutch st.; phone L2696.

FOR rent, to gentleman, comfortable bedroom, in James Bay; $12 per month. Apply Box 228, Colonist.

FOR rent, bedroom, suited for two gentlemen; moderate terms. 901 Burdette ave.

FRONT bedrooms for gents; clean; moderate 906 Caledonia ave.

FURNISHED front room to let with fire for two separate beds, apply 340 Vancouver near Humboldt or phone L2852.

FURNISHED room, breakfast if desired. 1014 Park Boulevard.

FURNISHED room for one or two gentlemen; quiet, moderate. Apply 725 Discovery st.

FURNISHED rooms, breakfast if desired. 405 Michigan street. Phone 1202.

FURNISHED rooms, modern; near car. 410 Oswego st. Phone L2517.

FURNISHED rooms, suitable for couple; bath, h. and c.; breakfast if desired; James Bay. Apply 36 Menzies st.

FURNISHED ROOMS. ON CAR LINE—Phone, 948 Pandora.

FURNISHED rooms with or without board 1002 Fairfield rd., corner Vancouver.

FURNISHED bed sitting room; best residential part of Fort st; suit two business gentlemen; breakfast if necessary. Apply 1210 Fort st.

FURNISHED ROOMS—Bedroom and sitting room; private family; one minute car; 1510 Beach Drive, Oak Bay.

LARGE front room furnished suitable for one or two gentlemen; grate, electric lights, bath, telephone; Box 472 Colonist.

LARGE front bed-sitting room, furnished, 1601 Fort st., Oak Bay Junction.

NEWLY furnished rooms, close in; terms moderate; electric light, heat, and bath. 313 Kingston st., James Bay.

SPLENDID large furnished rooms for gentlemen, suitable two or more in room. 649 Government st., near Empress hotel.

TO Let—Modern furnished room; Savoy Apt. 4.

TO let, nicely furnished single and double rooms, with every convenience; close in; bath; phone; car. 433 Superior st. Phone L3016.

50 CENTS per night; $2 a week and up, 1211 Langley st.

TO LET—HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

A NEW modern and heated suite with burlapped walls and fireplaces can be reserved now in the "Field Apartments" open Feb. 1st; Stuart & Reeves, cor. Fort and Douglas; phone 2612.

COMFORTABLE furnished rooms with use of kitchen. Quiet, pleasant house on car line. Mrs. Walker, city limits, Esquimalt Rd., Phone M1627.

FOR rent, splendid apartment of three or four large front rooms, every convenience, suitable for professional or resident; also nice two-roomed unfurnished apartment for housekeeping; furnace heated. 649 Government st., opposite Parliament Buildings.

FOR rent, one furnished housekeeping room; light, bath, phone. 601 Trutch st.; phone L2696.

FOR Rent—Housekeeping rooms 822 Fort st.

FOR rent, two unfurnished rooms; no children. 1056 Richmond ave.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms; gas cooking; "Maplehurst" 1937 Blanchard st.

HOUSEKEEPING and furnished rooms. 806 Cook st.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms for rent, suitable one or two parties batching. 1217 Cook st.

HOUSEKEEPING and large furnished bedroom for rent 1709 Douglas.

LARGE furnished housekeeping rooms; gas and all requisites supplied; 439 Superior st.

PLEASANT bed sitting room fitted for light housekeeping; new, private house ten minutes city hall; suit young couple; particulars 623 Johnson st.

TO rent, furnished front housekeeping rooms. 1023 Pandora st.

TO let, furnished housekeeping rooms. Also a double bedroom. 1602 Quadra st. phone No. R2398.

TO let, a suite of two furnished housekeeping rooms at 1120 Vancouver st., close in.

TO rent, 3 good housekeeping rooms. McDonald Realty Co., 8 Promis Block.

TO rent, nicely furnished housekeeping rooms, 5 minutes from post office; no children. 403 Heimcken st.

TO rent, unfurnished housekeeping rooms, near Beacon Hill park. 310 Phoenix place.

TO Rent—5 unfurnished rooms cheap; 5 minutes from City Hall, 927 King and Work.

TO Let—3 housekeeping rooms; apply to J. T. McDonald, phone L371.

THREE unfurnished rooms, electric light, water, use of bath. References. 2 minutes from car. 2318 Cook street.

TWO furnished housekeeping rooms, adults only. 180 Montreal street.

TWO very pleasant front unfurnished rooms; would suit married couple; every convenience; modern. Box 462 Colonist.

UNFURNISHED housekeeping rooms new house close to sea and car; 50 Howe st.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

ADVERTISER wishes to buy double barrelled shot gun, twelve or sixteen bore. Must be in good order and barrels perfectly free from rust. Cash. Address, Box 264, Colonist.

CAMERA, good, secondhand, 5x4, or post card, wanted, roll film or plate; particulars, price to A. C. Blakemore, Oak Bay P. O.

SCRAP Brass, copper, zinc, lead, cast iron, sacks and all kinds of bottles and rubber; highest cash prices paid. Victoria Junk Agency, 1620 Store St.; phone 136.

TO PURCHASE, old mahogany furniture, clocks, grandfather clocks, coins, stamps, etc. A. A. Aaronson, 85 Johnson.

WANTED, small silent salesman; cheap for cash. Standard Bakery, James Bay.

WANTED—Travelling rug and wicker trunk, Suite 1, Mount Edwards; phone 2342.

WANTED—Hotbed sashes; write T. Sheward, Hillbank P. O.

WANTED—A second hand canoe; apply Post Office Box 1281.

POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK

BOSTON Terriers—Two female puppies 4 months of age $15 each; 2714 Rose st.

CHEAP horse suitable for farm work. 55 Boyd st., James Bay, Phone 1829.

COW wanted; good milker; price about $70; apply to John Loask, Wellington, B. C.

EGGS for hatching; Kellerstrass White Orpingtons, $5 and $2; S. C. Buff Leghorns $5 and $1.50 per setting; heavy laying standard bred stock; recent wins, 2 firsts, 6 2nds, 5 3rds; R. B. Butler, Lake Hill, Victoria.

EGGS for hatching, Fishel strain, White Plymouth Rocks, $1.50 per sitting. Phone L2534. 1722 Duchess st.

EGGS for hatching, Hanson's strain, white Leghorns; $1.50 per setting. 844 View st.; phone 2167.

FOR Sale—Jersey cow 5 years old; milking; Mrs. Clegg, corner Cook and Faithful.

FOR Sale—6 Rhode Island Red pullets; one cock, one cockerel and three Black Orpington males; W. H. Van Arum, Sub. P. O. No. 1, Richmond road.

FOR sale, several laying hens, good strain; must sell to make room, corner Oak and Tolmie, off Douglas st.

FOR sale, a magnificent dark brindle bull puppy (bitch), 5 weeks old, great-granddaughter of famous champion "Rodney Stone" and his absolute image. The dam's pedigree embraces the finest bulldog blood in England, including "Stuarts Punch," ch. "Blackberry," etc., etc.; she was mated in England to a fine young dog, "Portland Dandy," registered K.C.S.B. Fanciers and exhibitors should see this puppy; it is bound to take a leading place in the bulldog world; price $250 (two hundred and fifty dollars). Box 432 Colonist.

FOR Sale—Airedale terrier dog, 9 months thoroughly broken house; well known strain $25 for good home; apply W. Willett, Duncans B.C.

FOR Sale—A Thoroughbred Holstein bull calf; George Jones, R.M.D. No. 2, Carey rd.; Colquitz.

FOR SALE—Two purebred Jersey heifer calves. Copithorne, Strawberry Vale P. O.

FOR sale, black Minorca pullets and cockerels; buff Orpingtons; Rhode Island red cockerels; Houdans, male and females, and buff Cochin bantams. 1313 Oak Bay ave., Victoria, B. C.

FOR Sale—Incubator; Essex model, 220 capacity; perfectly new and complete; bargain $25; Box 875 Colonist.

FOR sale, English white Leghorn cockerel; good strain. P. O. Box 850.

HIGH-GRADE blue Andalusians cockerels $2 up; pullets, $1.50 up. Eggs for hatching $2.50 per 15. Address, Wm. J. Jones, 2642 Shelbourne St.

HORSE, buggy and harness in good condition for quick sale; $275. Phone Box 558 Colonist.

HORSES for sale—Have just received a car load of light and heavy horses; prices $200 and upwards. Have one black pair suitable for bus team; can be seen at our sale barn, corner Craigflower rd. and Burleith ave. Stephenson and Derry, P. O. Box 1139; phone R2675 and Y209.

INCUBATOR complete, 100 eggs. 516 Michigan st.

JUST received another carload of draught horses; several well matched teams from 30 to 35 hundred. Apply Gleeson and Johnson, 2636 Blanchard.

MADRONA Poultry Farm—Eggs for hatching from imported prize winning Buff Orpingtons $5 and $3 per setting. About 200 laying pullets for sale at $2 each, cockerels from $3 to $5. Address Gordon Head, Victoria.

MINORCA chickens ready to lay, 75 cents each. Apply Gordon, Otter Point.

PIGS for sale—8 weeks old, $3.75. Apply Gordon, Otter Point.

SMART, well bred driving and riding horse, sixteen hands, buggy and harness almost new, also double bridle, lady's saddle, light Mexican. Box 118 Duncan, B.C.

SOME very fine R. C. Rhode Island Red and White Wyandotte cockerels for sale also 3 pens Golden, White and Black Polish all prize winners; also some fine Minorca and Partridge Wyandotte hens. To be seen before 12 o'clock, 239 Beechwood ave., Hollywood park.

STRONG, healthy chicks, with hen, purebred barred Rocks for sale; also eggs for setting. Johnson, Eldon place, fourth house off Burnside.

WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES.

WANTED—To rent 4 or 6 roomed bungalow in James, Foul, or Oak Bay districts; strictly modern; apply the Style Shop 655 Yates st.

WANTED rooming or boarding house, close in, easy terms. Box 358 Colonist.

WANTED—To rent small cottage close in about 3 rooms; Box 487 Colonist.

WANTED—3 or 4 room house or flat; state price and location; P. O. Box 1521.

WANT to rent, 8 roomed house. Green and Burdick Bros.

WANTED, by two bachelors, furnished house from April first to lease for 6 or twelve months. Apply Box 463 Colonist.

WANTED to Rent—March 1, a house 7 to 10 rooms in walking distance; state price and location; Box 405 Colonist.

WANTED FURNISHED HOUSE, CLOSE in, moderate rent, no children. 331 Michigan Street.

WANTED end of February small house furnished, no children, rent moderate. Box 357 Colonist.

WANTED to rent five or six roomed house close to car, moderate rent. Box 375 Colonist.

WANTED to rent by small family five or six room modern house unfurnished, close in or Oak Bay, near car line. Telephone L2792.

WANTED—Furnished house. Close in. Have no children. Apply, P. O. Box 1350.

WANTED—To rent, small cottage, close in. Box 157, Colonist.

TEACHER WANTED.

TEACHERS wanted—First assistant and one other teacher wanted; send in applications immediately with qualifications and salary wanted to L. Avory White, secretary Board of School Trustees, New Westminster, B. C.

WANTED—A teacher for the second division of the Alberni school, to commence duties beginning of the new year. H. C. Rayson, Secretary, Alberni, B. C.

WANTED—A male teacher for the Kitsum Kalem public school for term beginning January 1912. Applications received with qualifications and recommendations up till December 20; salary $80 a month. Geo. Dover, sec. School Board, Kitsum-Kalem, B. C.

PROPERTY WANTED

FORT STREET LOT WANTED BEtween Blanchard and Cook. Send the number, price and your best terms. I mean business. "B.P.," Colonist Office.

GOOD LOT—Fairfield or Oak Bay, must be cheap on easy terms. Owners only. Address, Box 1467, Post office.

I HAVE just $10,000 to invest in a good lot in Victoria; I want something where I can make a good profit within twelve months; please let me know where is a good investment; I am willing to pay as high as $30,000. Box 570 Colonist.

I WANT a good buy in the James Bay district which will prove a good investment; mention where it is. Box 571, Colonist.

LOTS wanted in the Gorge and Gorge View park subdivisions; I have the buyers; J. S. Gusty, 1304 Douglas st.; phone 2310.

WANTED, Fort George lots; we have cash buyers for town lots in Fort George, B. C.; send in your lowest cash price and legal description of lot quick. Natural Resources Security Co. Ltd., Bower building, Vancouver, B. C.

PROPERTY WANTED—(Continued.)

LOTS wanted between May st. and Dallas rd.; Fairfield; I have the buyers; J. S. Gusty, 1304 Douglas st.; phone 2310.

VICTORIA West—Wanted to buy from owner, a lot in Victoria West; price must be low and terms easy. Address S., Box 64, Thoburn P. O.

WANTED, vacant lots or lots with shacks on, that $100 cash will handle, and balance at $20 to $25 per month; owners only. Box 443 Colonist.

WANTED, a lot on Oak Bay ave.; owners only. Box 511, Colonist.

WANTED—Lots in Kerr division Gorge View park; if you own a lot in this division send particulars Box 468 Colonist.

WANTED to buy direct from owner at reasonable price, good dry lot, between Oscar and Dallas road. Price and terms to Box 328, Colonist.

WANTED—1 or 2 lots within block of Oak Bay avenue; state location and lowest cash price; or what terms; Box 408 Colonist

WANTED—Graham Island land. What have you got? Herman Settem, Issaquah, Wash.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

FOR Sale or Trade on lot, Ferro motor engine almost new; full equipment also Remington Typewriter cheap for cash; Box 417 Colonist.

LAKE Okanagan frontage at Peachland; 365 feet by about 600 feet deep; nearly 6 acres, $3,000; on terms; nearby frontage held at $1500 per acre; would exchange for chicken ranch at Victoria; Box 479 Colonist.

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READ THIS: Vide Victoria Times, January 17th 1893:

DULUTH—Situated at the entrance to Seymour Narrows, the terminus of the "Canada Western Railway," in connection with the ferry to the mainland. * * * Lots in the original townsite. * * * Lots in the original townsite can be had at the present prices until January 1st, when prices will be raised 25 per cent.

The above statement was made in December last, and in conformity with same, prices have been raised 25 per cent., etc.

HENRY CROFT,
72 Government Street.

Vide Victoria Colonist, today, January 26th, 1912:

Duncan Bay, port of call * * * "C. P. R." filed townsite location, just opposite Seymour Narrows with fine spacious harbor and pier.

Those investors who took advantage of the advice given in the Times will reap the benefit of purchasing in the townsite now stated to be the present northern terminus of the E. & N. railway from Victoria. Then why not follow the advice given nineteen years ago by investing in the townsite we advise today and have done for years, viz., Port Hardy, situated at Hardy Bay, the finest harbor on the inside route at the northern end of Vancouver Island, and the future terminus of the railway system on Vancouver Island. All steamers pass within a mile of Hardy Bay en route to Alaska and Northern B. C. ports. When the railways are completed, say in two or three years, Port Hardy will be the port of call for passengers from Alaska, Prince Rupert and B. C. ports, also the port for the deep sea fishery steamers, also the centre of the lumbering industry in that part of the province, as the long tow to Vancouver mills will be saved. Near Hardy Bay there are thousands of acres of good land easily cleared with about 10 per cent. open land. The trade around Quatsino will centre at Hardy Bay as the distance by rail is only about nine miles, and by taking logs, lumber and fish to Port Hardy the rough water on the West coast will be avoided. Steamers from the Orient by making Port Hardy their terminus can unload freight for Alaska and Puget Sound ports at the same wharf and load same on local steamers, thereby saving the extra handling that would be required if the freight to and from the Orient was shipped from Quatsino Sound.

Amongst the sales that have lately taken place at Port Hardy are: $20,000, $14,000, $4,500, $10,000, $10,000, acting on our advice, then why not follow the example set by some of the shrewdest investors in B. C., and call and get full particulars of the lots and acreage we have for sale at Port Hardy. We have lots from $175 up, and on easy terms.

WESTERN LANDS LIMITED

1201 Broad St., corner View.

AMPHION st., just off Oak Bay ave.; street paved and improvements in; level lot, all fenced and ready to build on; size 53x113; better see us quickly about this; price $1200.

BANK st., lot 60x140, sewer and water laid; a bargain at $950.

BELMONT ave., corner of Gladstone; a thoroughly modern 8-room house, beautifully finished and decorated; price $5500.

BURNSIDE rd., two blocks from Douglas; lot 63x230; price $1600.

BURNSIDE rd. corner 57x135; price $1500.

JUST off Burnside rd. and close to the new car barns; lot 50x177; price only $850.

FOUR room bungalow, just completed, thoroughly well finished, bath, pantry, basement, walls tinted; $500 cash and $25 per month secures this; price $2850.

FOUR room cottage in Victoria West with quarter acre lot, all modern conveniences; just completed; very easy terms; price $3000.

NEW 6-room house, within ¾-mile circle, thoroughly modern, close to car line; $4200.

CORNWALL st., fine level grassy lot, 65x90; street paved, sidewalks and all improvements made; price $1250.

EASY terms on all the above properties.

J. T. L. MEYER

Phone 2448 P. O. Box 224
Room 10, 634 View st.

SOLE agents for three lots on corner Douglas and Superior streets, opposite entrance to park, about 165x168. Only a block from Parliament Building and Empress hotel. Finest site in the city for hotel or apartment house. Only $250 per front foot on Douglas.

ALSO about 45 acres at junction of West Saanich and Prospect lake roads, about 25 under cultivation. Good house, barn, stable, chicken houses and over 250 fruit trees in bearing. Tramway extension will pass throught this property. Price per acre $400.

D. McINTOSH

Real Estate and Financial Agent.
Mahon Building, Government St., Victoria, B. C. Telephone 2749

A GOOD seven-roomed house, Quebec st. close to Parliament buildings; rent $35 per month; only $6500; terms.

TWO good lots, close to end of Douglas st. car; $850 each.

CROMPTON & BARTON

Members Victoria Real Estate Exchange.
130 Pemberton Building. Tel. 1595.

MUSGRAVE st., adjoining Uplands; $1050 below market value.

VICTORIA West—Several good pieces of trackage.

JONES BROS.

Real Estate and Financial Agents.
413 Sayward Block. Phone 850.

SEE us for city property, acreage, farmlands and timber.

WE have some good buys in Port Hardy lots as well as several pieces of trackage near Russell St. Station. Call on us for price and terms.

NINE-roomed house in Oak Bay on a corner lot, 120x100. Garage, large lawn and flower beds. House has expensive furnace and plumbing, enameled washtubs, cement floor and Chinaman's room in basement; four bedrooms, large reception hall, beam ceilings, two fireplaces, electric fixtures, built in buffet, large linen closets; separate toilet in basement; reason for selling, owner needs larger house. Let us show you over it. Price $10,000; ¼ cash, balance arranged.

WOODLAWN Crescent—We have just completed a very fine seven-roomed bungalow on this private road away from the dust and traffic but close to car. It has three bedrooms, beam ceilings, built in buffet, well fitted pantry, first-class enameled plumbing fixtures, pressed brick fireplace, furnace, washtubs and cement floor in basement, and lot to be fenced. Price $5,500; $1,000 cash, balance arranged.

OSWEGO st., 5 rooms, very well fitted up; price $5,250.

NIAGARA st., 6 rooms, just completed, $5,250.

NIAGARA st., 9 rooms, modern, $6,000.

SUPERIOR st., 7 rooms, $6,000.

SOUTH Turner st., 8 rooms including furniture and electric fixtures, $7,500.

VANCOUVER st., 6 rooms, $4,750.

QUADRA st., 5 rooms, $4,100.

WE can arrange easy terms on all the above.

DON'T forget that we can always build you a home on easy payments. We are doing it for the other man, let us do it for you. Call and see us anyway.

REA BROWN & COPEMAN

Members of the Victoria Real Estate Exchange.
Offices: 213 Pemberton Block and Sidney, B. C.

TOD Inlet—Close to and not far from Keating station; a 5 acre block of land partly cleared; no rock; price for cash; only $1000.

COQUITLAM lots—These are in the new industrial terminus on the Fraser, and can be had at reasonable prices and on very easy terms.

"Nuneham" a 9 room modern house standing in an acre of well laid out grounds close to Victoria Arm price $10,000; $3500 cash, balance in 6 years at 6 per cent.

WANTED—To lease 30x90 warehouse in central position; will pay good rent.

13 ACRES of meadow land overlooking Union Bay in North Saanich; beautiful position; fronting 3 roads; this property has a good spring of water; can be had on very easy terms.

WM. DUNFORD & SON

233 Pemberton Block

READY Made Poultry Farms—We have a few small pieces of acreage at Colwood, especially adapted for fruit and poultry; you can procure these in blocks of from 2 acres up at $300 an acre on very easy terms. If you wish it, we will build you a small house, pens, runs, etc., and start you right, for a small cash payment and the balance on terms; this land is eight miles from Victoria, ½ mile from C. P. R. station; Esquimalt water main passes property and there is a good lake for boating, fishing, etc.; call and see us about this. Dunford and Son, 232-233 Pemberton block.

A. KENNINGTON

Real Estate Cowichan Station

5 ACRES Cowichan Bay, near wharf; new house ten rooms, stable, boat house, power house and gasoline lighting plant; good frontage and fine view; price $8500.

40 ACRES fronting on Koksilah River; near station; 10 acres slashed good running water, $75 per acre terms.

2 ACRES all cleared close to station; 6 roomed house, stable; price, good terms $1800.

12 ACRES light bush; good situation, near station, $125 per acre.

LEE & FRASER

Money to Loan.
Life Insurance. Fire Insurance.
Members Victoria Real Estate Exchange.
1222 Broad St., Victoria, B. C.

WE have the following lots for sale:

PARKDALE, Regina ave., 50x125, $500.

JOSEPH st., good lot, cheap, only $900.

HULTON st., lot 53x113; $1000.

HAMPSHIRE rd.—We have several lots at $1500.

FOURTH st., lot 50x150, level, all cleared; $800.

GROGAN & CROOK

Phone 1865 128 Pemberton building
Members of Victoria Real Estate Exchange.

TWO 5 roomed bungalows modern with basements $3200 each; $500 cash and $30 per month including interest.

SIX roomed 1½ storied house close to sea and car line $4500; $1250 cash.

FIVE roomed house on lot 50x133, close to Oak Bay car line; $4750; $1000 cash.

SIX roomed bungalow; three bedrooms dining room, living room, kitchen, basement, gas and gas stove; a very complete and up to date home on one of the most select avenues in town $5500; terms to arrange.

HOUSES, cottages, bungalows in every part of town and at prices to suit every buyer; ring up 1865 and we will do the rest.

SIX roomed house, close to car line, in Victoria West; [illegible] $500 cash, balance at $25 a month.

FIVE roomed [illegible] modern, nice [illegible] car line; [illegible]

LLOYD & HULKE

Real Estate Agents
Crofton

TO the farmer—32 acres, ¼ mile from Crofton and sea, on Westholme rd., half good cultivated land, rest mostly slashed; spring water, in heart of new mill property and proposed new townsite and railway now under construction, offering a splendid market; price $9000; good terms; or would subdivide.

A HOUSE on the sea—[illegible] acres, 5 minutes' walk from Vesuvius Bay wharf, Salt Spring Island, cleared, fenced; about 8 chains sea frontage, with good anchorage; good house, with 4 rooms, outhouses, spring water; price $2000.

SHAW REAL ESTATE CO.

302 Pemberton Block, Victoria, B. C.
Phone 1094 P. O. Box 788
Members of the Real Estate Exchange

MUSGRAVE st., 50x115 to a lane. $900 on terms.

GRAHAM st., near Bay st., 50x120. $1150, half cash, bal. easy.

E. & N. trackage, location frontage on Esquimalt rd. a splendid offer at $15,000, on terms.

DUNLEVY st., 50x 115 to a lane. $1100. $350 cash, bal. 6, 12, 18 at 7 p. c.

SAANICH ACREAGE.

JOSEPH H. LIST & CO.,

Joseph H. List J. McGregor.
Auctioneers and Real Estate
752 Fort St.

$2500—Corner on Cook 62x90.

$2700—Corner Edmonton and Richmond, 90x152.

$800—Cloverdale, close to Douglas, 50 x118.

$925—Blackwood st., 50x110.

$1350—Burnside lot, 50x120.

KHALSA REALTY CO.

1221 Langley Street

QUEEN'S ave., two lots 50x127, between Vancouver and Cook st.; price $2,200 each.

BLACKWOOD st., 1 lot 50x100, between Bay and King's rd.; price $1135.

DUNEDIN st., near Douglas st., one lot, size 50x135; price $1700.

ALPHA st., near Burnside; one lot, size 60 x120; price $1,200.

EUREKA REALTY CO.

Real Estate and Insurance
717-719 Yates St.
Open Evenings.

EASY terms and only $1400 for a 3-room house and lot 55x120, on Willows car line.

UNDER construction, a few choice bungalows on which we can give special terms for quick sales.

REMARKABLE offer!—Nearly new house 5 rooms, bath and pantry, also new stable, on Willows car line, for only $3000; easy terms.

EVERYBODY take notice!—Large lot on Obed ave., only $575, terms.

KEEP your eyes open!—We have a fine sea view lot, Pinewood, for only $1100, terms.

AND we have a few good business propositions in western towns to exchange for city property; these are paying concerns; owners retiring.

EDWIN FRAMPTON'S

REALTY CO.
Rooms 1 and 2, McGregor Block.
Cor. View and Broad, opposite D. Spencer's.
House phone XX2123. Phone 928.
Open Saturdays 8 to 10 p. m.

SPECIALS—Fine little subdivision on Fairfield road, about 2⅛ acres; price low; $3,000 cash would handle this; easy terms.

LARGE corner, Gorge road and City park, store site, 70x120; $500 cash would get this; long terms for balance.

$300 Cash, beautiful high position, just south of Burnside car track, nice lot, $1,000; balance on terms.

$100 cash; lots Station st., Garden city; quarter acre; city water; $550 to $600.

FAIRFIELD lots, $1200, close to Linden, $1600, $1150; small cash payments.

$275 Cash; 60x178, Inverness road, off Cloverdale; price $850; balance $15 monthly.

$400 Cash; fine view lots, just off new Hillside car line; $1,200 each.

$300 Cash; close Willows car, Third st., lot, for $900.

$50 Cash, corner of Richmond rd., 5 min. from Willows car, on Tolmie car line, only $860 and $100 quarterly.

$4200—5-room Dunford bungalow, just off Douglas car; everything of the best; $1000 cash, balance $25 a month.

$2400—4 rooms, 1 minute from Douglas st. car; fitted bath, toilet; fenced lot; very pretty attractive cottage; cash $450 and terms.

$3500—Five large rooms, panelled hall, modern plumbing, cement basement; piped for furnace; cash $700 and $25 per month, near Gorge Park.

$1550—4 rooms, 1½ story, lot fenced and planted; cash $550 for 2 days only (outside taxes).

IMPERIAL REALTY CO.

645 Bastion Street.
Members Victoria Real Estate Exchange.
Real Estate, Insurance and Commission Brokers, Rents and Collections
Phone 1375. P. O. Box 734.

NEWPORT and Linkleas ave., frontage on two streets, 50x190; $1950.

BEACH drive, waterfront, fine view; [illegible] 200x50; $850.

TRANSIT and Walter, double corner (make three lots), 53x120 each; [illegible]

OLIVER st., near Saratoga, 50x120, [illegible]

ST Patrick's, ave very fine lots, [illegible] $850 each.

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W[illegible]

R. G. MELLIN

Sooke Harbor.

14 ACRES, 1 mile from Wharf, fronting on Straits, $1,600.

12 ACRES, all in cultivation, with orchard and house of 11 rooms, $5,500.

10 ACRES, fronting on both road and river, half a mile from proposed railway station, $3,000.

LARGE acreage from $12.00 per acre up.

5 AND 10 acre lots from $100 per acre up.

STAGES leave Dixi Ross' store at 8 a. m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Write or wire to R. G. Mellin, Milnes Landing P. O., Sooke.

A. T. FRAMPTON

Fort st., above Douglas. Phone 1858
Member Real Estate Exchange

$15 cash for a lot in Red Deer; before buying come in and inspect those I have for sale; price $150 each

$15 cash for a lot in Edson Heights; come in and see those I have for sale sale; prices from $150 to $300 on easy terms.

SARATOGA ave., house on two corner lots, 98x114; six large rooms, well built and thoroughly up to date; price $5500 on terms.

$150 handles one of the best lots in Garden City; price $650 on easy terms.

ESQUIMALT—Lot 30x150 with waterfrontage. Price $1250. One-third cash.

JOHN GREENWOOD

Real Estate, Timber and Insurance
613 Sayward Building. Telephone 1425

CHEAP LOTS

$1150 buys a 50ft. lot on Graham st., close to Bay; terms $450 cash

$1250 buys a big high lot on Fifth st., close to Bay; terms $450 cash.

$2300 buys the best corner on Cook st., close to Beacon Hill park; $800 cash.

BRAIN REALTY CO.

Room 3, 1011 Government St.
Phone 194

CORNER Linden and Chapman st., size 45x135; price $1950.

CORNER Cook and Chapman st., size 56x120; price $2900.

ONE lot on Basil st., size 50x120; price $1150.

DOUBLE corner, Rosebery and Haultain st., size 100x129; price $2400.

NOTICE

NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION ACT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Ludwig Hermann Loenholm and John Barnsley of Victoria, British Columbia, are applying to His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada in Council for approval of the area plans, site and description of works proposed to be constructed in Selkirk Waters, Victoria Arm, Victoria, BC., being on the lands situate lying and being in the City of Victoria aforesaid, and known numbered and described as Lots Thirty-four (34), Thirty-five (35), and Thirty-six (36), Burnside Extension of the Work Estate as shown on the map or plan filed in the Land Registry Office at the City of Victoria, British Columbia, and numbered one hundred and eleven (111), and has deposited the area and site plans of the proposed works and a description thereof with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and a duplicate thereof with the Registrar General of Titles in the Land Registry Office in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, and that the matter of the said application will be proceeded with, at the expiration of one month from the time of the first publication of this Notice in the "Canada Gazette."

Dated this 11th day of December, A. D., 1911.

LUDWIG HERMANN LOENHOLM
JOHN BARNSLEY,
Petitioners.

NOTICE

IN THE MATTER of the Estate of William T. Collinson, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of William T. Collinson, late of Mayne Island, B. C., deceased, who died on the 10th day of February, 1911, and whose will was proved in the Supreme Court

Victoria, B. C., Nov. 30, 1911.

of British Columbia, on the 2nd day of March, 1911, by William Brooke Glassey Naylor and William Cain, the executors therein named are hereby required to send by registered post prepaid, or to deliver, particulars in writing of their claims or demands and statements of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, duly verified by statutory declaration, to us the undersigned, solicitors for the said William Brooke Glassey Naylor and William Cain, on or before the 17th day of January, 1912, at the undermentioned address, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice. And the said executors will not be liable for the assets of the said estate or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice. And all persons indebted to the above named deceased, William T. Collinson, are hereby notified to pay to the undersigned, solicitors for the said executors, the amount of their indebtedness forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 4th day of December, 1911.

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN
Of No. 542 Bastion Street, Victoria, B. C., solicitors for the said executors.

LIQUOR ACT, 1910

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners at their next sittings to be held at the City of Victoria, B. C., for a renewal of the license held by me for the sale of liquor by retail on the premises known as the Panama Hotel, situate at 542 Johnson street, Victoria, B. C.

Dated 2nd January, 1912.

FREDERICK F. CLARK,
Applicant.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Quathiaski Cove Lock-up.

Sealed tenders, superscribed "Tender for Lock-up and Constable's Quarters, Quathiaski Cove," will be received by the Hon. the Minister of Public Works up to 12 o'clock noon of Wednesday, the 7th day of February, 1912, for the erection and completion of a five-room two-cell Lock-up and Constable's quarters at Quathiaski Cove, Valdes Island, in the Comox Electoral District, B. C.

Plans, specifications, contract and forms of tender may be seen on and after the 18th day of January, 1912, at the offices of the Government Agents, Cumberland and Nanaimo; the Constable in charge, Quathiaski Cove, and the Department of Public Works, Parliament Buildings, Victoria.

Each proposal must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Hon. the Minister of Public Works, for the sum of $350, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. The cheques or certificates of deposit of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelopes furnished.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

J. E. GRIFFITH,
Public Works Engineer.
Department of Public Works,
Victoria, B.C., Jan. 16th, 1912.

WANTED

To know the whereabouts of Mrs. Richard Wallis, formerly Miss Mary E. Berger, about 40 years of age, has one daughter, last report received stated that she was divorced. Relatives formerly lived in Lane County, Oregon.

Any information concerning the above party will be thankfully received. Address all communications to D. M. Purkerson, Eugene, Lane County, Ore.

NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that at the first sitting in 1912 (March 13th) of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, I intend to apply for a transfer of the license for the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors by retail held by me for the premises known as the Bank Exchange, corner Yates and Langley streets, Victoria, B. C., to Seigle Boyd, of Victoria, B. C.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 4th day of December, 1911.

ANDREW RUSTA.

DEPARTMENT OF WORKS

Notice to Contractors.

Port Alberni School

Sealed tenders, superscribed "Tender for School-house, Port Alberni," will be received by the Hon. the Minister of Public Works upto 12 noon of Wednesday, the 14th day of February, 1912, for the erection and completion of a two-room frame school-house at Port Alberni, in the Alberni Electoral District, B. C.

Plans, specifications, contract, and forms of tender may be seen on and after the 22nd day of January, 1912, at the offices of A. D. Cooper, Esq., Secretary of the School Board, Port Alberni, B. C.; the Government Agent, Alberni and Nanaimo; and the Department of Public Works, Parliament Buildings, Victoria.

Each proposal must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Hon. the Minister of Public Works, for the sum of $500, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. The cheques or certificates of deposit of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in envelopes furnished.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

J. E. GRIFFITH,
Public Works Engineer.
Department of Public Works,
Victoria, B. C., January 19th, 1912.

Corporation of the District of Oak Bay

SHOOTING PERMITS

Notice is hereby given that all SHOOTING PERMITS issued up to 31st December, 1911, are CANCELLED.

By Order of the Council.

J. S. FLOYD,
C. M. C.

19th January, 1912.

NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, B. C., we intend to apply for a transfer of the license for the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors by retail held by the late R. C. Davies for the premises known as the Poodle Dog Restaurant, 615 Yates street, Victoria, B. C., to Herbert H. Wayne and Augustus W. Ottignon, both of Victoria, B. C.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 5th day of January, 1912.

The British Columbia Land and Investment Agency Limited, Agent for the Estate of R. C. Davies, deceased, and agent for the Johnson Estate.

Per A. R. WOLFENDEN.

LAND REGISTRY ACT

IN THE MATTER of an application for a fresh Certificate of Title to Lots 41 and 42, East Victoria, B. C., Map 276, Victoria City, British Columbia.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN of my intention at the expiration of one calendar month from the first publication hereof to issue a fresh Certificate of Title in lieu of the Certificate of Title issued to Florence E. Shafer on the 8th of October, 1910, and numbered 24812 C, which has been lost or destroyed.

Dated at Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C., this 22nd day of December, 1911.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar-General of Titles.

NOTICE

PRIVATE BILLS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Petitions for Private Bills must be presented to the Legislative Assembly not later than Monday the 22nd day of January, 1912.

Private Bills must be presented and introduced to the House not later than the 1st day of February, 1912.

Private Bills must be reported to the House by the Committee considering same not later than the 8th day of February, 1912.

Dated this 8th day of December, 1911.

THORNTON FELL,
Clerk Legislative Assembly.

NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that application will be made to the Board of Licensing Commissioners, at Victoria, B. C., at their next sitting to be held after the expiration of thirty days from the date hereof, for the transfer to Percy Porter, of Victoria, B. C., of the licence now held by me to sell spiritous liquors by retail upon the premises known as the California Hotel, situate at No. 529 Johnson street, in the City of Victoria, B. C.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 27th day of December, 1911.

THOMAS LUNIS McMANUS.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Gymnasium Normal School.

SEALED TENDERS, superscribed "Tender for Gymnasium Normal School," will be received by the Hon. the Minister of Public Works up to 12 o'clock noon of Wednesday, the 31st day of January, 1912, for the erection and completion of a gymnasium for the Provincial Normal School, Vancouver, B. C.

Plans, specifications, contract, and forms of tender may be seen on and after the 17th day of January, 1912, at the offices of the Timber Inspector, Vancouver, B. C.; the Government Agent, New Westminster, B. C.; and the Department of Public Works, Parliament Buildings, Victoria.

Each proposal must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Hon. the Minister of Public Works, for the sum of $300, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. The cheques or certificates of deposit of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelopes furnished.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

J. E. GRIFFITH,
Public Works Engineer.
Department of Public Works,
Victoria, B. C., January 15, 1912.

MAIL CONTRACT

Rural Mail Delivery

Sealed tenders addressed to the Postmaster General will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 23rd. February next, for the conveyance of His Majesty's mails on a proposed contract for four years, six times per week, for Rural Mail Delivery on a circular route, starting at and ending at Victoria via the Cadboro Bay and Mount Tolmie roads, commencing from the Postmaster General's pleasure.

A map showing in detail the route to be travelled can be seen at the office of the undersigned.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen, and blank forms of tender may be obtained from the post offices of Victoria, Willow Park, Mount Tolmie, and at the office of the undersigned.

E. H. FLETCHER,
P. O. Inspector.
Post Office Inspector's Office, Victoria, B. C., 5th. January, 1912.

"WATER ACT, 1909."

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the Wellington Colliery Company, Limited, holder of Water Licenses Nos. 1919 and 1920, granted by the Water Commissioner for the Victoria Water District, for the diversion of 1,000 cubic feet per second of water from the Puntledge river, a tributary of Courtenay river, has submitted to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council a map or plan of the works by which it intends to divert the said water and conduct it to the place where it shall be used for generating electric power as described in the said licenses.

That the undertaking of the said Wellington Colliery Company, Limited, as set out in the said plans is hereby approved, and the said company is hereby authorized to construct and execute the following works in accordance with the plans and specifications submitted and filed in the office of the Chief Water Commissioner at Victoria, viz.:—

A—An impounding dam near the outlet of Comox Lake.

B—Lowering the bed of Puntledge river and the hereinafter described diversion dam to an increased depth of five feet or less.

C—A diversion dam on Puntledge river about 2,800 feet below the impounding dam above described.

D—The works necessary for the transmission of the power generated under the above licenses on and in the vicinity of lands belonging to the said company.

That the company may exercise its powers within the Comox and Nelson Land Districts.

That no capital be required beyond that already subscribed and paid up.

That the work shall be begun on or before the 1st day of May next and shall be completed and in actual operation on or before the 31st December, 1913.

With the proviso that during the construction of the said works any engineer appointed by the Minister of Lands for that purpose shall have free access to all parts of the works for the purpose of inspecting the same and of ascertaining that the construction thereof is in accordance with the plans and specifications herein referred to, and that the cost of such inspection shall be paid by the company.

Dated this 27th day of November, 1911.

A. CAMPBELL REDDIE,
Deputy Clerk of the Executive Council.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the J. B. A. A. will be held in the clubhouse on Tuesday, Feb. 6, at 8 o'clock.

The annual general meeting of the J. B. A. A. will be held in the clubhouse on Tuesday, Feb. 6, at 8:30 o'clock.

The Victoria Transfer Company

Horses For Sale

We have horses of all classes for sale and are ready at all times to exhibit such to intending purchasers. It will pay you to see us before purchasing.

Harness for Sale We have new and second-hand sets—double and single, for sale at reasonable rates—Farmers should see these, as they are suitable for light driving.

Cabs Do you know that our Glass Front Carriages are at your disposal at the following charges—Four Persons, single hour, $2.00; Four Persons, an hour and a half, or over, at per hour, $1.50. In four hours a party of four can see the principal points of interest in the City of Victoria for the moderate charge of $6.00.

Victorias If you wish, we can furnish a Victoria, at per hour, $2.00; single hour, $2.50. These vehicles accommodate three persons and are most suitable for ladies doing afternoon calling.

Furniture Trucks Furniture moving is an important undertaking. We have men who do nothing else. Our charges are—By the hour, $1.50. With an extra man to help the charge will be increased to $2.00 per hour.

Baggage and Express In this department prompt delivery is the important factor. If you are catching a steamer or train you like to know that your luggage or packages will be at the wharf or station in good time to depart with you. What is more annoying than searching for your belongings a minute before your steamer sails or your train pulls out? This is off-set by our claim checks. Our drivers check your baggage at your residence. You present the claim check to the baggage-master—show your ticket—he then gives you the railway or steamer check, and that is all. You then go on your way rejoicing. If we cannot attend to your order we will tell you and thus avoid suspense.

Express and General Drayage We have twenty-seven Express and Delivery Wagons. For the use of one of these we make a charge of—Per Hour, $1.00.

Livery Better Single or Double Traps cannot be found on the Pacific Coast. Single Horse and Trap—Morning, $2.50; Afternoon, $3.00.

Teams We are prepared to supply teams for Half a Day at $5.00, excepting Saturday, Sunday and Holidays, when the charge will be, half a day, $7.50. For long distances, the office will furnish particulars.

Boarders We board your horse, look after your trap and harness—Per month, $25.00. Our object is to please our patrons. We are responsible to them as to safety or damage done to furniture or goods. Our drivers, we believe, are civil and careful, and seldom knowingly overcharge. If by any chance a mistake occurs, come to the office or notify us at once. In other words, give us an opportunity to put right anything that displeases you.

TELEPHONE 129 TELEPHONE

Open Day and Night

Stock Markets and Financial News

GAINS ARE MADE IN DAY'S TRADING

Stock Market Opens With Forward Movement, Sags Back and Again Shows Strength at Close

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Under the spur of a keen demand for the leading railroad stocks, prices moved forward quickly in the early trading today. Shares of all the best known roads and of a number of industrial corporations rose from 1 to 2 points, with a few more extensive gains.

Shortly after noon prices broke. With the exception of the stocks of the Vanderbilt roads, the gains were either cancelled or largely reduced. In the last half hour prices again rose, and the close was firm at a level appreciably higher than the last prices of the preceding day.

Total sales of bonds, par value, $3,065,000. United States 2's coupons declined ⅜ and Panama 3's coupons ⅛ on call.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Stocks—	High.	Low.	Closing Bid.
Allis-Chalmers	..	..	..
Amal. Copper	62½	62	62½
Amer. Beet Sugar	55⅝	55⅝	55⅝
Amer. Can. pfd	91⅞	91⅝	91½
Amer. Car Fdy.	51	50½	51
Amer. Cotton Oil	..	..	49¼
Amer. Ice	20½	20⅜	19½
Amer. Locomotive	33¼	33¼	33
Amer. Smelting	70⅝	69⅞	70¼
Amer. T. and T.	140	139½	139¾
Amer. Sugar	120⅝	119	119
Amer. Tobacco	..	..	107½
Amer. Woolen	27	26½	26
Amer. Woolen	27	26½	26
Anaconda	35	34½	34½
Atchison	106¾	105	106¼
B. and O.	105¼	105	106¼
B. and O.	105¼	104¼	104⅞
B. T. R.	78½	78⅜	78¼
C. P. R.	231	230½	231
Central Leather	..	..	19
Ches. and Ohio	71⅜	70¾	71½
C. and G. W.	18¼	18	18
C. M. and S. P.	107	104¾	105¼
Colo. F. and I.	26¼	26	26
Con. Gas	140¼	139⅝	139¾
D. and R. G.	..	..	21¼
Distillers Sec.	..	..	31¼
Erie	31⅛	30¼	30¾
Goldfield Cons.	4½	4⅜	4⅜
Gt. Northern pfd	130¼	128⅞	129⅝
Gt. Northern Ore	39⅜	37⅜	38¼
Illinois Central	140½	140¼	139¾
Inter-Met.	18½	18	18
Inter. Harvester	107	106¼	106½
K. C. Southern	26½	26	26½
L. and N.	151¼	150⅛	150½
Lehigh Valley	161⅜	160½	161¼
Mackay Co's.	..	..	75
Ray Cons.	16⅞	16¼	16⅜
M. S. P., S. S. M.	..	..	131
M. K. and T.	..	..	27½
Missouri Pacific	39¾	39⅝	40
National Biscuit	150¼	147	149¼
National Lead	..	..	53⅝
Nevada Cons.	..	..	18⅝
N. Y. Central	112⅜	110⅜	111¼
N. Y. O. and W.	..	..	37⅝
Norfolk and West.	109¼	109	109
Northern Pacific	117⅝	116½	117¼
Pacific Mail	..	..	30¾
Pennsyl. Railway	124⅛	123⅜	123⅞
People's Gas	..	..	105⅜
Pressed Steel Car	..	..	31½
Reading	155¼	153⅜	153¾
Rep. Iron and S.	23¾	23⅜	23⅝
Rock Island	24⅜	24⅛	24⅛
Sloss Sheffield	..	..	39¼
Southern Pacific	109½	107⅝	108½
Southern Railway	27⅝	27¼	27½
Tenn. Copper	37	36½	36½
Texas Pacific	..	..	21⅛
Twin City	..	..	105
Union Pacific	164⅞	163¼	164½
do pfd	93	92½	92¼
U. S. Rubber	46⅝	46½	46¼
U. S. Steel	64	62⅞	63¼
do pfd	110⅝	110½	110½
Utah Copper	54¼	53	53¾
Virginia Chemical	..	..	53¾
Wabash	..	..	7
Western Union	83¼	82⅝	83
Westinghouse	71¼	71	70½
Wisconsin Central	..	..	52

Money on call, 2¼ per cent.
Total sales, 492,800 shares.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKETS.

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	103⅛	103⅛	102⅞	102⅛
July	99¼	96⅜	96⅛	96⅜
Sept.	94⅝	95	94⅝	94⅞
Corn—				
May	67	66⅞	69⅜	67¾
July	67¼	66⅝	67⅛	67⅜
Sept.	67⅝	67¾	67¼	67⅝
Oats—				
May	51½	52¼	51¾	51¾
July	46⅝	46⅞	46⅜	46½
Sept.	41⅜	41⅞	41¼	41½
Pork—				
May	16.35	16.40	16.35	16.40
July	16.60	16.60	16.55	16.57
Lard—				
May	9.42	9.45	9.42	9.45
July	9.60	9.62	9.57	9.60
Short Ribs—				
May	8.90	9.90	9.85	8.87
July	8.90	9.92	9.87	8.87

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE.

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Stock—	Bid.	Asked.
Amer. Canadian Oil	..	.10½
Canadian Northwest Oil	.03	.05½
Canadian Pacific Oil	.15	.20
Maricopa Oil	.00⅞	.01⅛
International C. and C.	.54	.57
Nicola Valley C. and C.	..	50.00
Royal Collieries	.05½	..
Western C. and C.	..	2.00
B. C. Packers com.	70.00	80.00
C. N. P. Fisheries	3.25	3.50
B. C. Perm. Loan	130.00	..
Dominion Trust Co.	132.00	..
Gt. West Perm. (a)	122.00	..
Pacific Loan	25.00	35.00
Stewart Land	8.00	..
B. C. Copper	4.00	4.50
Canada Con. S. and R.	35.00	..
Granby	33.00	36.00
Coronation Gold	.31	.40
Kootenay Gold	..	.47
Lucky Jim	[illegible]	.25
Nugget Gold	.40	.50
Rambler Cariboo	.50	
Standard Lead	1.50	1.65
Glacier Creek	.02½	.04
Portland Canal	.05	.05¼
Red Cliff	.42	..
Stewart M. and D.	.25	..
Klaskino Gold	.06	..
Snowstorm	.20	..

Sales.

500 C. N. P. Fisheries at 3.45; 100 at 3.50.

1000 Red Cliff Extension at .03¾; 1000 at .03¾.

Money Rates.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Money on call 2¼ @2¾ per cent.; ruling rate 2½; closing bid 2½; offered at 2¾ per cent. Time loans steady; sixty days, 2½ per cent; ninety days 2¾@3 per cent; six months, 3@3¼ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 3½@4 per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.84.25 for sixty days and at $4.87.45 for demand. Commercial bills, $4.83½. Bar silver, 58¼c. Mexican dollars, 47c.

THE CITY MARKETS

RETAIL

Foodstuffs

Straw, per ton		16.00
Bran, per 100 lbs.		1.65
Shorts, per 100 lbs.		1.75
Oats, per 100 lbs.		1.65@1.75
Feed Wheat, per 100 lbs.	1.75	2.00@2.25
Crushed Oats, per 100 lbs.		1.85
Barley, per 100 lbs.		2.00
Cracked Corn, per 100 lbs.		2.35
Feed Cornmeal, per 100 lbs.		2.35
Hay, per ton		22.00
Chop Feed, per 100 lbs.		1.50
Whole Corn, per 100 lbs.		2.25
Crushed Barley, per 100 lbs.		2.10
Alfalfa Hay, per ton		23.00
Eggs—		
Fresh Island Eggs, per doz.		.50
Eastern Eggs, per dozen		.35
Cheese—		
Canadian, per lb.	25c 2 lb.	.45
Cream, local, each		.10
Butter—		
Alberta, per lb.		.30
Best Dairy, per lb.		.35
Victoria Creamery, per lb.		.50
Cowichan Creamery, per lb.		.55
Comox Creamery, per lb.		.50
Salt Spring Isl. Creamery, lb.		.45
B. C. Butter		.40
New Zealand Butter		.40
Flour.		
Royal Household, bag		1.90
Lake of the Woods, bag		1.90
Royal Standard, bag		1.90
Wild Rose, per sack		1.90
Robin Hood, per sack		1.90
Calgary, per bag		1.90
Moffat's Best, per bag		1.85
Drifted Snow, per sack		1.80
Three Star, per sack		1.90
Snowflake, per bag		1.70
Fruit.		
Lemons, per dozen		.35
Bananas, per dozen		.35
Malaga Grapes, lb.		.35
Apples, per box		2.00@5.00
Pineapples		.35
Pomegranates 3 for		.25
Persimmons, each		.05
Meats.		
Beef, per lb.	.07	.22
Mutton, per lb.		.08@.20
Mutton, Australian, per lb.		.08@.12
Veal, dressed, per lb.		.12½@.25
Chickens		.20@.35
Fowl		.18
Vegetables.		
Tomatoes, per lb.		.25
Parsley, bunch		.05
Cucumbers, each		.25
Potatoes, per sack		2.00@2.50
Ashcroft Potatoes, per sack		2.50
Cabbage, new, per lb.		.05
Garlic, per lb.		.25
Onions, 8 lbs.		.25
Beets, per lb.		.04
Carrots, per lb.		.04
New Carrots, 3 bunches		.10
Cauliflower, each		.25
Celery, per stalk, 2 for		.25
Green Peppers, per lb.		.25
Sweet Potatoes, 4 lbs. for		.25
Green Onions, 3 bunches		.10
Citrons, per lb.		.05
Pumpkins, per lb.		.04
Curly Kale, per lb.		.04
Rhubarb, per bunch		.20
Brussels Sprouts, per 2 lbs.		.25

Metal Prices.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Standard copper firm, spot, Jan. and Feb., $13.75; March and April, $13.75@13.90; London, strong; spot strong, £61 15s 6d. Tin steady, spot and Jan., $43.45.

POLICY WILL BE ADEQUATE ONE

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The struggle for naval supremacy was such that no one in either country could see the end; they could see no further than the day, almost the moment. The only escape from the mad militarism of Europe, in his opinion, was to be hoped for through one or other of the rival nations exhausting its resources. Were it not for this militarism poverty would perhaps be unknown, for certainly were the moneys spent in pursuit of military dominance devoted to the amelioration of the conditions of the poor, want and poverty might be banished.

Excites His Contempt

In regard to the Canadian naval question more particularly, he held that it had been considerably overplayed for political ends. It was a species of flag-waving, exciting his contempt, and a notable feature in connection with it was its frequently obvious insincerity. Those who were loudest in shouting their patriotism from the housetops too frequently were the last to illustrate it in their deeds. He noted in this connection that one of the most lusty-lunged champions of naval preparation against foreign war was Mr. Bell-Irving of Vancouver, the gentleman who had introduced Japanese labor as a dominant factor in the British Columbia fishing industry. It was all very well for the Premier to suggest that the question should be taken out of politics—now that his party had got in—but there was no suggestion that this was the proper course so long as a contest was pending and the naval programme an attractive cry wherewith to win votes. The desire to see the question removed from politics was possibly as sincere as Mr. Bell-Irving's wordy patriotism. For his own part he would be glad indeed to see Great Britain have a navy here so strong that it should be a perpetual guarantee of peace—so strong that any other nation would realize at the outset that there was no advantage to be gained in going against it.

It was said that a strong navy was the best guarantee of a continuance of peace. That meant that if a man had a club big enough he could keep his neighbor away and do as he liked with him, but there was nothing to prevent a neighbor getting just as big a club and fighting it out. He considered the rapid spread of Socialism the surest guarantee of international peace today, because it was an international movement. War between Norway and Sweden had been prevented because the Socialists in those countries in a recent crisis had refused to fight. Before the war with Italy, Turkey had also appealed to the international Socialist executive. If the workmen refused to fight there would soon be no war, since the men of the cities and professions sickened at the smell of gunpowder. In Germany the Socialists in the late elections sent 110 members to the Reichstag. This was peculiarly significant since these 110 represented sixty per cent. of the German people, conclusive evidence that the international Socialist movement is growing, to become the greatest possible guarantee of the world's peace.

Mr. H. C. Brewster

Mr. Brewster held that it seemed impossible for the premier to get politics out of his make-up in discussing a resolution of this kind. He had also heaped ridicule on the member for Newcastle because he had seconded the motion. It looked as if he wanted no opposition in the house at all. As these resolutions could not be got before the house without a seconder, it would be a graceful thing on the part of the premier if he would allow one of his supporters to second them in order that they might be discussed. Instead of that he accused the member for Newcastle, who had seconded a motion out of courtesy, of facing about and coming to the house a changed man. If there was anybody who changed about it was the premier himself, who took one position in the country and another on the floor of the house. Speaking in Victoria in March, 1910, he had said that something should be done about a navy, and done at once. Now he had reversed his position in order that he might have a fling at his political opponents. Mr. Borden in the House of Commons at Ottawa had also said in March, 1911, that it was the immediate duty of the house to place at the disposal of the British government a sufficient sum to build two Dreadnoughts. Yet now they found the premier of British Columbia counselling hesitation and delay. He had also hinted that he (Mr. Brewster) had brought this motion in at the instance of some persons, who wished to embarrass the government at Ottawa. In that he was entirely mistaken, as he had brought it in at his own instance, and had consulted nobody. The premier said that he wished to have the matter taken out of politics, and he would take him at his word. Since they saw the premier bending his knee to the Nationalist power at Ottawa, which seemed also to have spread to British Columbia, he (Mr. Brewster) would consent to withdraw his resolution if the premier would agree that he should move the amendment and the premier second it. It might at least place upon the government at Ottawa the responsibility of consideration for their request for defences on the Pacific coast.

Would Have Seceded

Hon. Mr. McPhillips said that had the Liberals at the last election adopted such a policy as was proposed by the member for Alberni, the result might have been different; but while the other Dominions of the Empire were doing what they could to assist the motherland in the hour of peril, they had found that the Liberal government at Ottawa had scouted the suggestion that the Dominion should contribute from $20,000,000 to $25,000,000 from its treasury to help the British government in creating a real fleet unit in the Pacific ocean. If the member for Alberni had thought at the last election as he did now, he should have seceded from his party. It was now refreshing to find this resolution in favor of a fleet unit coming from the attenuated Liberal representation in the house. He did not say this in a deprecatory manner as he had the greatest respect for the member for Alberni, but it was a pity that they had not been able to size up public opinion in their own ranks earlier. Now that the member for Alberni had adopted the Conservative policy he was trying to get the house to express an opinion, before the government responsible had an opportunity to formulate its policy. It could only be intended to embarrass that government. He would not hear it said that the Conservatives of Canada had ever been derelict in any way upon this subject. It was the Conservatives who had first raised their voices in calling for assistance for Great Britain in the Boer war; it was the Conservatives who had proposed to contribute from $20,000,000 to $25,000,000 to assist Great Britain in her more recent hour of peril, and they might be sure that the policy to be followed by them now would be consistent with their past acts, and make for the greater safety of Canada.

Distribution of Money

He took issue with the member for Newcastle in saying that when one nation vied with another in navy building it was wasted money. The men employed in building those ships received good wages, and the money was distributed. Nor did he agree that it was only the workingmen who fought the battles of the country. While the major portion might be recruite from the agricultural and laboring classes, it was not less true that at a social club in London during the Boer war in one evening, three hundred had enrolled themselves for war. The member for Newcastle was also indiscreet in his statement that the socialist movement was making for peace. Instead it was making for unrest and trouble, and arousing the masses of the people into thinking that they were living under wrong conditions at a time when high wages were being paid and conditions were good.

Hon. Mr. McBride said he had no wish to deprive the member for Alberni of the credit of moving the amendment that he (the premier) had proposed. If the house was content they could eliminate the present resolution and amendment, and introduce the latter as a new resolution.

Mr. Brewster asked if he might be allowed first to reply to the president of the council.

The Speaker ruled that he had already spoken once to the amendment and could not speak again.

The Premier said that when introducing the amendment as a new resolution, the member from Alberni would have plenty of opportunity to address the House.

This was agreed to, and the resolution left over to another sitting.

Hon. Mr. Ross presented a return of alienations of Indian reserves under section 80 of the Land Act. Petitions were received from the city of Nanaimo for leave to introduce a private bill in connection with the municipal tramway projected and from J. W. McCallum and others, for the private bill to incorporate the city of Salmon Arm.

Questions and Answers.

Mr. Brewster asked the Minister of Lands:

1. How many acres of land have been pre-empted in each year, 1905 to 1911, inclusive?

2. How many acres of land have been sold in each year, 1905 to 1911, inclusive?

3. How many acres of land have been Crown-granted to pre-emptors in each year, 1905 to 1911, inclusive?

4. How many acres of land have been Crown-granted to purchasers in each year, 1905 to 1911, inclusive?

5. What were the classifications of the lands sold in each year from 1905 to 1911, giving amount of land under classification?

6. What amount of revenue has been received in each year, 1905 to 1911, inclusive, from the sale of Crown lands?

Hon. Mr. Ross replied:

1—Taking the number of records issued and assigning 160 acres to each record, the amounts are as follows: 1905, 152,300 acres; 1906, 167,680 acres; 1907, 131,760 acres; 1908, 245,000 acres; 1909, 259,200 acres; 1910, 327,840 acres; 1910, 327,840 acres; 1911, 381,280 acres.

2—1905, 50,101 acres; 1906, 225,883 acres; 1907, 211,550 acres; 1908, 181,211 acres; 1909, 645,359 acres; 1910, 2,006,173 acres; 1911, 918,669 acres.

3—1905, 41,000 acres; 1906, 45,000 acres; 1907, 50,000 acres; 1908, 41,553 acres; 1909, 60,286 acres; 1910, 59,348 acres; 1911, 109,685 acres.

4—1905, 94,153 acres; 1906, 275,145 acres; 1907, 533,419 acres; 1908, 163,224 acres; 1909, 282,390 acres; 1910, 249,968 acres; 1911, 396,215 acres.

5—The classification of lands is not given in the Crown grants, and would have to be extracted from the district registers.

6—1905, $141,510.83; 1906, $189,351.92; 1907, $663,035.31; 1908, $548,604.64; 1910, $2,618,188.75; 1911, $2,431,231.36.

Mr. Williams asked the Minister of Railways:

1. What rates of wages are paid to rock-drillers and laborers, respectively, on the Kettle River Valley railway construction?

2. What is the lowest rate of wages paid on above work?

Hon. Mr. Taylor replied:

1. Rock drillers, $2.75; laborers, $2.50.

2. Above.

Before the close of the sitting the Prince Rupert agreement ratification bill was advanced to the report stage; it will probably receive third reading today.

CITY OF VICTORIA

TENDERS

Separate tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 3 p.m., Monday Feb. 5th, 1912, for 12 dump carts and 12 sets of dump cart harness.

Carts and harness to be the same as those now being used for garbage purposes by the health department, and can be seen at stables on the wharf at the west end of Herald street.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT,
City Hall, Purchasing Agent
Jan. 29th, 1912.

TENDERS

For Wharf and Motor Garbage Truck

1. Tenders will be received up to 3 p. m. on Monday, February 5th, 1912, for the extension of the garbage wharf at the foot of Herald street, in accordance with the specification and plans which can be seen at the office of the purchasing agent.

2 Also for the supplying of a Motor Garbage Truck in accordance with the conditions to be seen at the office of the undersigned, to whom tenders must be addressed. The parties tendering for the above shall furnish full particulars, blue print drawings and specifications of truck they propose supplying, and guarantee same as to speed, capacity and against defects which may develop within a period of six months.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT,
City Hall, Purchasing Agent.
January 26th, 1912.

GASOLINE REQUIRED

Tenders will be received up to February 5th, at 3 p. m., for a quantity of Gasoline, of Engine Oil and Crown. There was used last year about 5,000 gallons. The parties tendering for the above will require to deliver the above in about 90 gallon lots and placed in the tank at market yard when required. State separate price for each kind, and also a quantity of Lubricating Oil, so much per gallon in barrel lots. Sample can be seen at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT,
City Hall, Purchasing Agent.
January 26th, 1912.

EMPRESS SHINGLE MILL—FOR SALE BY TENDER

Tenders are invited addressed to the undersigned up to the 31st January, 1912 for the purchase of one shingle mill, practically new—capacity about 26,000 per day—consisting of 35 horsepower boiler and engine, Letso & Burbiee shingle machine, dynamo and all complete and in good running order, now situate at Crofton, B. C. Separate tenders may be made for either the boiler and engine, or for the shingle machine and parts if desired. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

For further particulars apply to

ARTHUR PAUL,
Drawer T. Nanaimo, B.C.

NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that application will be made to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the Municipality of Saanich at their next meeting for a transfer from Enoch Sage to James Callander of the license now held by the said Enoch Sage to sell intoxicating liquors by retail on the premises known as the Prairie Hotel, East Saanich Road, Vancouver Island, British Columbia.

ENOCH SAGE.
Dated this 15th day of January, 1912.

NOTICE

George Delius and Charles P. Tatro, trading under the name of the Marine Wood Preservation Co. of Canada, are now prepared to accept contracts for the preservation of piling in wharfs, trestles, etc., saw logs in storage, wooden ships and other marine woodwork against the ravages of Teredos and other marine pests by their electro Chemical process patented in Canada under patent No. 123693 issued at Ottawa, Ont. 8th of February, 1910.

For particulars of process and rates, address The Marine Wood Preservation Co., Limited, 1112 Langley Street, Victoria, B. C.

FROM THE NORTH

Vadso Arrives From Prince Rupert and Princess Beatrice Will Reach Port Today

The steamer Princess Beatrice of the C. P. R., Capt. Locke, reached Vancouver yesterday from Queen Charlotte Island ports and will reach port today. The steamer Vadso of the Boscowitz steamship company, reached port early this morning from Naas, Prince Rupert and way ports, and docked at the Evans, Coleman & Evans wharf. The Vadso is to sail for the north again tomorrow night.

City of Victoria Private Bill Public Library

Public notice is hereby given that the Corporation of the City of Victoria intend to apply at present sitting of the legislature, for the insertion, in the Private Bill, promoted by the Corporation, of a clause for the following:

"Notwithstanding anything contained in the Municipal Clauses Act or in any by-law of the Corporation, it shall be lawful for the Municipal Council to expend for the maintenance and up-keep of the Public Library, such sum as the Municipal Council may direct, not exceeding in any one year, one-quarter of one mill on the dollar of the assessed value of real property in the Corporation."

And further notice will be given of the time and place of the sitting of the Private Bill Committee when the said clause will be sought to be inserted in the said Private Bill.

Dated this 24th day of January, 1912.

F. A. McDIARMID,
City Solicitor.

CITY SOLICITOR WANTED

Applications, accompanied by testimonials, references and photograph, will be received at the office of the undersigned, until Wednesday, the 21st day of February, 1912, at 2 p. m., for the position of Solicitor for the Corporation of the City of Victoria. Salary at the rate of $5,000 per year.

The Corporation reserves the right to reject any or all applications.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., 23rd January, 1912.

TO PRINTERS

Tenders will be received by the undersigned for printing and binding the annual report of the City. Copy of Manuscript and number of copies required can be sen at the City Clerk's office. Tenders to be delivered to the undersigned up to 3 p. m., on Monday, the 5th of February.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM W. NORTHCOTT,
City Hall, Purchasing Agent.
January 26th, 1912.

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Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 15th day of January, 1912.

A. C. HAMILTON
By his Attorneys-in-fact
C. A. HOLLAND
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Take the train to Goldstream. Lunch will be served.

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The February House Furnishing Sale Commences on Thursday Morning at 8:30 a.m. See the Window Displays for Remarkable Values in Furniture, Carpets and Kitchen Utensils

Some Cutlery Bargains for the February Sale

Teaspoons—About 100 dozen of double-plated on a white metal body, go on sale Thursday. These spoons will wear white all through. Special February sale price, per dozen ...... **25¢**

Navada Teaspoons—Are guaranteed to be the same quality of metal all through, consequently they give much better service than any plated goods. February sale price, per doz. **50¢**

Dessert Spoons—In nickel silver. These are the regular size and have a beautiful finish. There is no better value to be had at the price than this line represents. February sale price, per dozen **$1.50**

Combination Sets—Consisting of six knives with good steel blades and six heavily plated forks. Your choice from two sizes, well packed in a neat box. Per set at the February sale **$1.50**

Table Sets—Consisting of 12 with good steel blades and 12 forks, fitted with brown wood handles. Specially useful sets for kitchen or camp use. February sale price, per set **$1.00**

Table Knives—With good steel blades and plated handles, made in Sheffield, England. February sale price, per dozen.. **$1.50**

Rodgers' Table Ware—In a great variety of styles, are to be seen here, marked at very low prices for the February sale.

THIS Sale has become so successful simply because values are such that people wait for months to be able to buy their furniture during February when such a saving can be made.

Furniture from the highest to the medium grades will be offered for sale, also carpets, linoleums and kitchen utensils at very low prices.

Handsome Circassian Walnut Bedroom Suite Regular, $750.00, February Sale Price, $395.00

The space at our disposal will not allow for a description of this suite that will do justice to it or give you an adequate idea of its beauty or value.

The Bedstead is full size and is a very handsome piece. The head and foot are handsomely matched, veneered, and the posts are gracefully shaped.

The Dresser has 2 deep drawers, 1 small drawer with a moulded front and 2 small drawers on either side. The top measures 5ft. x 26in., and the mirror is 4ft. x 2ft. 8in., mounted in a handsome frame.

The Chiffonier has four large drawers, five small drawers and a large mirror. In general design it matches the dresser.

The Washstand has three small drawers and gracefully shaped front legs.

All the tops and ends are in handsome match veneers with an exceptionally rich grain, and the whole is finished in natural color.

SEE THE VIEW STREET WINDOW

Kitchen Necessities Attractively Priced

Bread Tins—In a variety of shapes and sizes, made of bright sheet tin or sheet steel. Some of these have patent neverburn bottoms. February sale price, each ...... **10¢**

Enamel Dish Pans—About 150 in two large sizes and made of high-grade grey enamel. Regular values 85c and $1.00, are to be sold on Thursday and Friday at, each...... **50¢**

Nickel-plated Copper Kettles—The bodies and bottoms are stamped in one piece, the spouts are double-seamed to the body, the bottoms are flat and there are handle stops on the ears. Will boil quickly and will give splendid service. February sale price for Size 7 ...... **$1.25**

Enamel Kettles—These are durable and useful kettles, made of a good blue enamel. February sale price **$1.00**

Stayon Stove Polish—Regular 10c size will be sold on Thursday at ...... **5¢**

Special Tables of Household Necessities—These contain such a wide variety of goods that it is impossible to enumerate them in this advertisement. All are marked at prices much lower than usual. Your choice at 25c, 15c, 10c and...... **5¢**

Carpets, Linoleum, Muslins and Curtains at Prices That Will Please the Most Expectant—February Sale Values

This sale is a specially fine opportunity to secure your floor coverings, blnids, curtains, fancy muslins and any kind of furniture coverings at a great saving. All the goods are our regular stock and are well up to our standard for quality. Here are a few attractions for Thursday and Friday's selling:

Inlaid Linoleums—These come in block, tile and wood designs, and include all the newest colors. As a floor covering for the kitchen, hall or any place where there is a lot of traffic, this material is by far the best and most reliable. The pattern wears right through. It is six feet wide and will be sold on Thursday at, per square yard **$1.10**

Seamless Axminster Rugs—Of British manufacture. Have a heavy velvety pile and may be had in a wide range of patterns and colorings. Floral, conventional and Oriental designs are here to choose from. Size 9 x 12. Sold regularly at $35 to $42 each. To be sold on Thursday at **$18.75**

Brussels Carpet Squares—In a large variety of floral, conventional and Oriental effects. They come in ground shades of blue, green and fawn. For hard wear at a moderate cost these carpets have no equal. They are closely woven and have a hard finished surface. Interwoven borders and sizes 9 x 10ft. 6in. To be sold on Thursday at **$14.75**

Oddments of Brussels Carpets—These are mostly in border carpet and consist of a large variety of patterns and colors. Each piece is about 1½ yards long, and will make a good rug. Price each on Thursday.. **65¢**

Cream Madras Muslins—In a great variety of new and artistic designs. There are floral, conventional and cathedral effects to choose from ,and will make splendid curtains or draperies for the coming season. They are in widths from 50 to 54in., and sell regularly at from 85c to $1.25. Special for Thursday's selling, yard **65¢**

Choice Curtains—Swiss, Brussels Net and Battenberg. These come in white, ivory and ecru shades, and are well suited for bedroom and drawing-room decoration. Some are beautifully embroidered and are three yards long. Regular $5.75, $7.50 and $8.75 values are to be sold on Thursday at, per pair **$3.50**

February Sale News From The China Department

BARGAINS IN TOILET SETS

5-Piece Toilet Sets—Made of heavy white ironstone, and is specially suited for rooming-houses. The set consists of large basin, ewer, chamber, soap slab and mug. February sale price **$1.75**

10-Piece Toilet Sets—These are English made goods, neatly decorated in pink and green floral decorations. We consider these to be an excellent value at, per set **$2.50**

English Semi-Porcelain Toilet Sets—These have heavily glazed bodies. They are white and finished with gold lines. Regular $3.75 values to be sold on Thursday and Friday at, per set **$2.90**

ODD PIECES OF USEFUL CHINA AT CLEARANCE PRICES

Cups and Saucers—About 100 dozen neat white fluted earthenware cups and saucers. They are suitable for everyday use, and are an extra good quality for the money. February sale price, per dozen ...... **60¢**

Vegetable Dishes—There are about 75 of these, made of good white porcelain, are full sized and a neat shape. Complete with cover . Regular 75c and 85c values will be sold on Wednesday at ...... **50¢**

Odd Bowls—In fancy floral effects. There are about 120 of these in three different sizes, and we will clean them out on Thursday and Friday at, each ...... **10¢**

DINNER SETS AT REMARKABLY LOW PRICES

97-Piece Dinner Sets—Made of good English semi-porcelain and neatly decorated in neat green floral effects. All necessary dishes are included. Special February sale price, per set **$6.90**

English Semi-Porcelain Dinner Sets—These are superior sets, both in material and decoration, and are well worth $10 a set. We have a considerable number on hand and will put them on sale Thursday at.. **$7.90**

Dinner Sets—Made of the best English semi-porcelain. There are about 50 of these sets and each consists of 97 pieces, in a variety of attractive designs and shapes. These were made specially to our order, and are the latest on the market. February sale prices, $12.90 and **$15.00**

TEA SETS AT SPECIAL SALE PRICES

Austrian China Tea Sets—There are two designs to choose from, and each set consists of 40 pieces, including 12 cups and saucers, 12 plates, 2 cake plates, slop bowl and 1 cream jug. Special February sale price, per set...... **$3.50**

40-Piece Tea Sets—These are made of both English and Austrian china, all in the newest shapes. Every set is well finished and a rare bargain at this price. Per set **$5.75**

Brass Beds Marked at Prices Much Below The Average

Here is one of the largest and best assortments of Brass Bedsteads that we have had for a long time, and the low prices at which they are marked should prove a great attraction. All the newest and best designs are here, both in bright and satin finish. See the View and Douglas Street windows, and you will be convinced that better goods are not to be had at the price. Here are a few of the values:

3 Feet and 3 Feet 6-inch Sizes

Regular $14.90 to $18.75 values for	**$9.75**
Regular values to $22.50 are marked at	**$13.75**

4 Feet 6-Inch Bedsteads

Regular $26.75 and $29.75 values are now......	**$19.75**
Regular $35.00 and $39.00 values will be sold at......	**$28.90**
Regular $45.00 and $49.75 values to clear at......	**$33.75**
Regular $57.00 and $59.75 are now marked at......	**$42.50**
Regular $69.00 to $97.50 values to clear at......	**$49.75**

Surface Oak Dressers and Stands at Specially Low Prices and Many to Choose From

Surface Oak Dresser. The top measures 36x18 in., has three large drawers, panel ends and a plate glass mirror 24x20 in. in a neatly carved frame. Reg. $9.75 value. On sale Thursday at **$6.90**

Combination Dresser and Stand. This is a specially useful piece for small rooms. The top measures 2ft. 8in. by 1 ft. 6in., has one long drawer, two small drawers and a cupboard and a beveled mirror 22x13 in. in a neatly shaped frame. Special sale price on Thursday...... **$7.90**

Combination Dresser and Stand with top measuring 3ft. by 17in. Has handsomely shaped arms and a large oval mirror. It contains one cupboard, two small and one large drawers. Special sale price...... **$12.90**

Dresser made of selected hard wood. Has three large drawers, panel ends and beveled mirror, size 20x24in. in a carved and shaped frame. Regular $13.75. Sale price...... **$9.75**

Dresser With a Top Measuring 3ft. by 18in. It has three large drawers and has a mirror size 22x12 in a neatly shaped frame. Regular $9.75 values are now marked at...... **$6.90**

Stand to match the above dresser. Sale price...... **$3.00**

Dresser with two large drawers and panel ends. The top measures 34x18in. and the plate glass mirror is oval in shape and measures 24x14 inches.

Dresser. This dresser has shaped and carved arms supporting a beveled mirror 24x20. There are three drawers and the top measures 2ft. 10in. by 18in. Special sale price...... **$11.90**

Stand to Match. This is well made and contains two drawers and one cupboard. Has a mirror size 18x11 and a towel rail. Sale price **$6.90**

Massive Buffets in Many New Styles Marked at February Sale Prices

THESE ARE ONLY A FEW OF THE LINES THAT ARE HERE TO CHOOSE FROM

Massive Fumed Oak Buffet—This has three supboards, one long drawer, two linen drawers and one lined cutlery drawer. The back is low, has one shelf and a beveled mirror 45 x 12in. It is constructed throughout from well seasoned lumber and finished with good hardware. Regular value $69.75. February sale price **$43.75**

Oak Buffet—In Early English finish. This buffet is constructed from handsome quarter cut oak, well seasoned and put together in the soundest possible manner. It contains one long drawer, one cutlery and two linen drawers, two cupboards with fancy glass doors and a low back with a beveled mirror 40 x 12in. The top measures 50 x 21in. Regular $75.00 value on sale Thursday at **$47.50**

Golden Oak Buffet—This is a very handsome piece of furniture. It is mounted on neat claw feet, has fancy leaded glass doors, three cupboards, one long drawer and three small drawers, one of which is lined for cutlery. The back is very attractive in design, neatly finished with carving, turned pillars supporting shaped brackets and a shaped mirror. Regular $45.00 value on sale Thursday at **$33.75**

Solid Oak Buffet—In Early English finish. Has bow front, three cupboards, one with a bow-shaped door with a neat leaded glass panel, one large drawer and two small drawers with shaped fronts. The top measures 48 x 19in., and is our regular $49.00, marked for the February sale at **$33.75**

Fumed Oak Buffet—With one long drawer, two linen drawers and one cutlery drawer. This buffet has two cupboards with fancy glass doors and is neatly finished with quaint handles. The back is low, have one large shelf and a beveled mirror. The top measures 50 x 22in. Regular $59.00 value on sale Thursday at **$39.00**

Solid Oak Morris Chairs in a Great Variety of Styles

A Specially Good Value at $4.90

Regular $10.75 Values for $7.90

Regular $12.75 Values are now Marked $9.75

In the View Street windows we are showing a few of these chairs but there are many more to choose from in the department.

AT $4.90 there are both golden and early English oak chairs with shaped arms and spindles. The seats and backs are upholstered in leatherette and have good springs. These are a specially good value.

AT $8.90 there are some splendid chairs with spring backs and seats. They are well upholstered in plain green velvet.

AT $9.75 we have an assortment of chairs that for comfort and moderate price will please the most expectant.

DAVID SPENCER, LIMITED

A Car Load of White Enamel Bedsteads at February Sale Prices

There are so many different styles and the prices are so moderate that it is almost an impossibility for you to be disappointed. Some are plain and neat, decorated only with neat chills and a little gilt, but others are in handsome designs trimmed with brass fillings, knobs and rails. We recommend you to see the View street and Douglas street windows for a display of a few of these lines, but we have many more to show you in the department. This is a special opportunity for hotel and boarding house proprietors.

Regular $3.50 values to clear at $1.90 and......	**$2.90**
Regular $4.90 and $5.00 values, all to clear at......	**$3.90**
Regular $6.90 values will be sold at......	**$4.90**
Regular $7.50 values are now marked at......	**$5.90**
Regular $9.75 values on sale at......	**$7.50**
Regular $11.75 and $13.75 all to clear at......	**$8.75**

Dining Room Suites at a Big Reduction—See Them in The Broad Street Windows

HANDSOME OAK SUITE, REGULAR $162.50 IS NOW MARKED AT $106.75

This suite consists of a handsome buffet with a serpentine front, 1 large and two small drawers, cupboard with leaded light doors, large beveled plate mirror in the back.

Table with round top, will extend to 6 feet, has handsome claw stem and is well finished.

China Cabinet to stand in a corner, has round glass doors and three shelves.

Dining Chairs—Five side chairs and one arm chair, made of good quarter cut oak and finished with neat slats in the back. The seats are upholstered in good brown leather.

All are well made from choice quarter cut oak, finished in golden color. See this suit in the View street window near the main entrance.

EARLY ENGLISH DINING SUITE IN OAK—REGULAR $87 VALUE, NOW MARKED AT $59.40

This suite consists of one dining table, buffet and six-piece suite of chairs.

The Buffet has one large drawer and two small drawers, three cupboards with fancy doors and a neat shaped top. The back has a large shaped mirror, shaped shelf and shaped brackets.

The Table is square in shape, has plain legs and will extend to 6 feet.

The Dining Chairs are upholstered in leather and are made with a neatly shaped banister in the back. There are five side chairs and one arm chair to the set. This suite is made throughout from good quarter cut oak and finished in the Early English style.